arches

Michelle - my bell! oh brother
a little stale humor huh?
Well, I wish you good
luck always. Chemistry
was tough but somehow
I got thru. It's been
11 yrs. together wow.
See ya around.
Love, Anne G.
Garcia

Michelle,
What a great year its been huh!
I sure feel like I grown up a lot
in the past year but in many ways
I've stayed the same. I like am
glad the senior mass came off okay.
Well take care and have a great
summer. I'll see you next year when
we're seniors. Maybe we'll be ready
for it by then.
Love,
Janet
Rodriguez

Its been a long year, and a
finally come to end. With
seniors leaving. And we
seniors. Imagine being
Well it going to be
We'll make the most
of yours at the beach, stop
cause that's where I'll be
of the time, besides the
I'll be at summer school.
have a nice year, and
had a nice year. Like I
see ya!
-Natalie - '7

Michelle,

Hey kiddo, Its been a pretty good year and next year will be the best so I hope y'all enjoy it see you next year

Love

Mike

Michelle,

I hope that this year was as much fun for you as it was for me. Remember to always Reach Out

To others

Love

John Cruish

Michelle,

I hope you have a nice summer and a great year next year

Mickel

Michelle,

7 years is a long time to be going to school together only 1 more left it kind of sad to see them go by so fast although I'll give them a great year

Love

Michelle Waisshaan

Michelle,

I hope you have a nice summer and a great year next year

John

Love

Michelle Waisshaan

Michelle,

7 years is a long time to be going to school together only 1 more left it kind of sad to see them go by so fast although I'll give them a great year

Love

Michelle Waisshaan

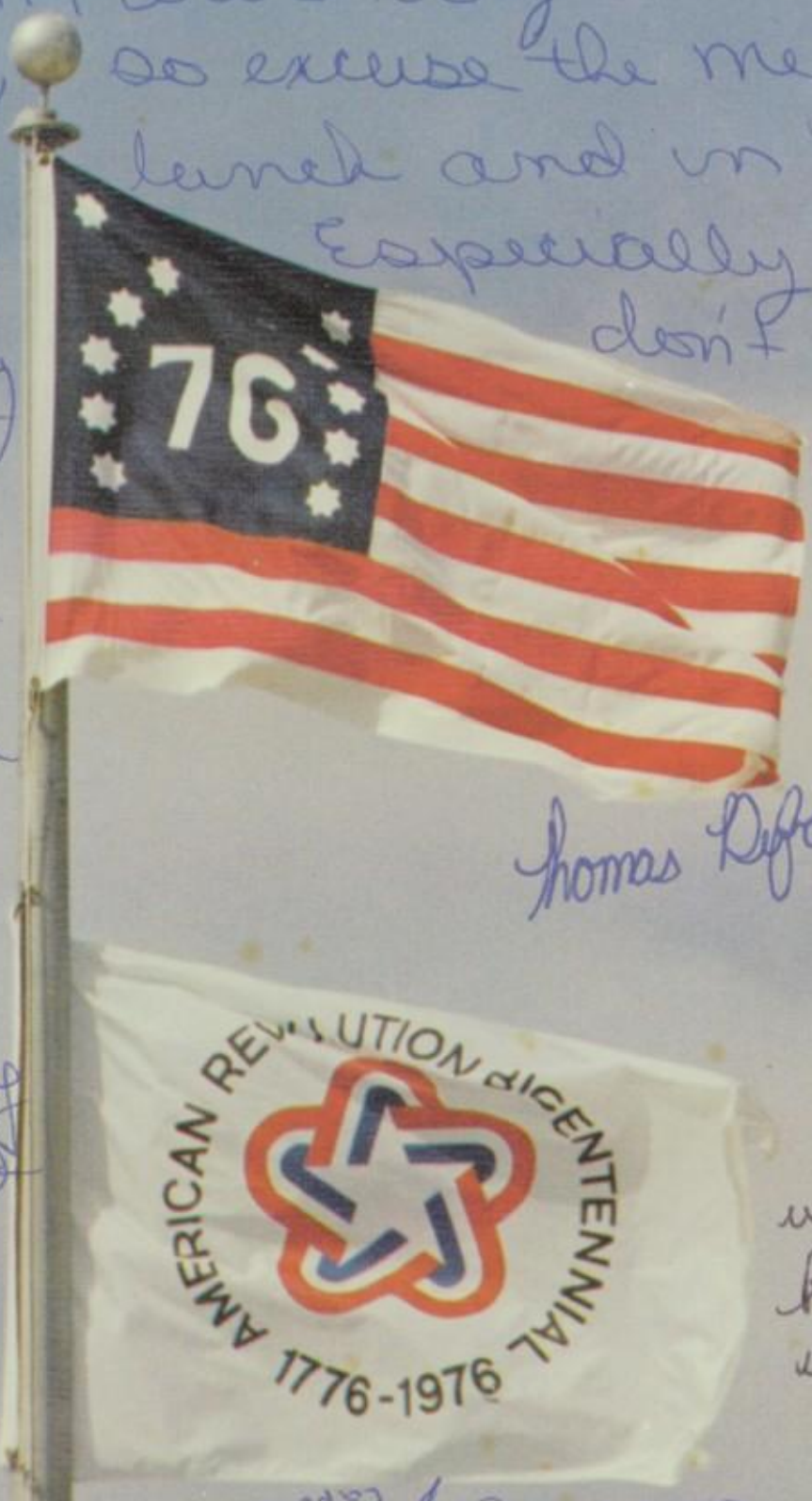
Michelle,
just think 3 years
down and 1 year to go.
This year's been really fun-
getting rings, meeting
friends, etc. next year will be
a lot better I'm sure. Good luck in
the coming years!
your friend,
Desiree
DeGraff

Michelle,
Nice seeing you again
Hope I see you more
wish you luck.
your friend,
Brian
Soiderman

Michelle,
I'm sorry we
won't be seeing each
other anymore, except
at church a youth group.
Have a good life, and
remember, "Smile" because
someday, somewhere, sometime
someone may come up
to you & say...
"your weird"
But, its cool, it
happens to the
best of us!!
Love
Leanne
Bacon

Michelle,
Hello there! It has been
another wonderful year (yoke) But
in this year I have made alot of new
friend, but none of them will be as dear
as my old friends and you'll one of them.
We should go dancing on the prominade
more often, how about this Friday?
Well I hope and pray that you will
have a fantastic summer and sen-
ior year ok...
Love always
Maria Quijada

Michelle,
Boy another year to go! its
been a good time, and its good
people like you and your friends, who
always have a "Hi" and a smile, who
make it so much better. Have a good
summer.
your friend,
Bob Clifford



Michelle,
I can't write very well in the position I am in, so excuse the mess. Its been fun at Lunch and in history and English. Especially English. I really don't know what to say but have a really nice summer and see you next year.
Love
Debbie Lichtenstein

P.S. I now have a letter from Silvia gone you around the world.

Thomas Dipasa Tyler Coree

Michelle,
One more year and we will be out of high school. Have fun in the summer.
Love
Jorie
Marrietta

Michelle, your reading a great person. I want to share with you all three years. Next year will be our

Have a good summer and hope to see ya during the summer at York Fellowship!
See ya soon-

Love, your friend
Norm
Pulido

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Michelle,
You a beautiful
Person. Your soul is like the
Dawning of a new day and your
body is like the setting of a sun,
I hope you have a great summer
and a great life. Hang in there
Baby you've come a long way.

Love Michael
Dilly

P.S.
I hope your mother doesn't
get mad at you. Good luck
and keep it cool.

Michelle,
It's been a super
year for me. I hope
it's been the same for
you. Too bad you
weren't in any of
my classes. Have
a wonderful senior
year, okay?
Love,
Kelly Russell

Michelle,

It's been a terrific year, I'm so sorry to see it come to an end. Just think next year we'll be walking down that aisle (spelling) Have a super summer, and may God always watch over you see you at youth Group.

Love Ya,
Francine Fischer

P.S. Bet your really gonna miss Sylvia, we'll try to make it up to you.

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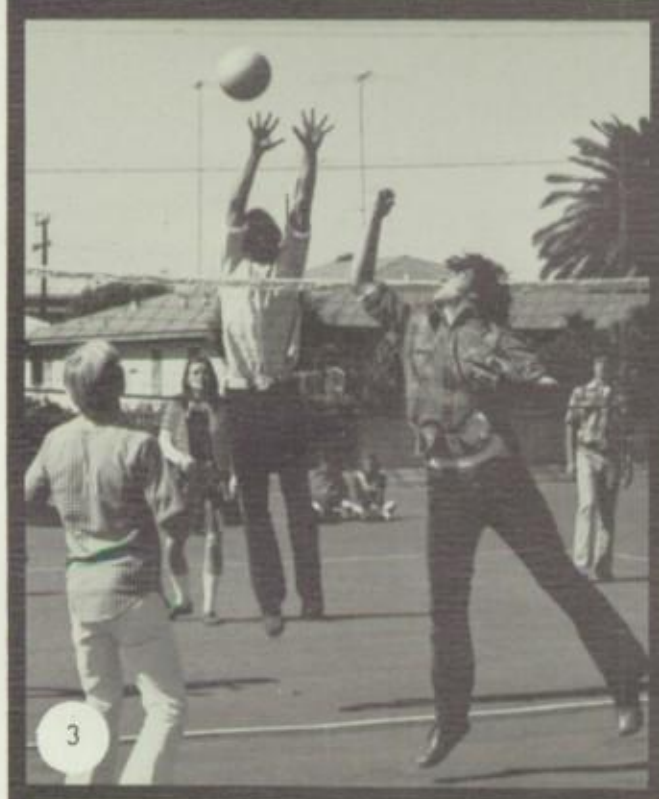
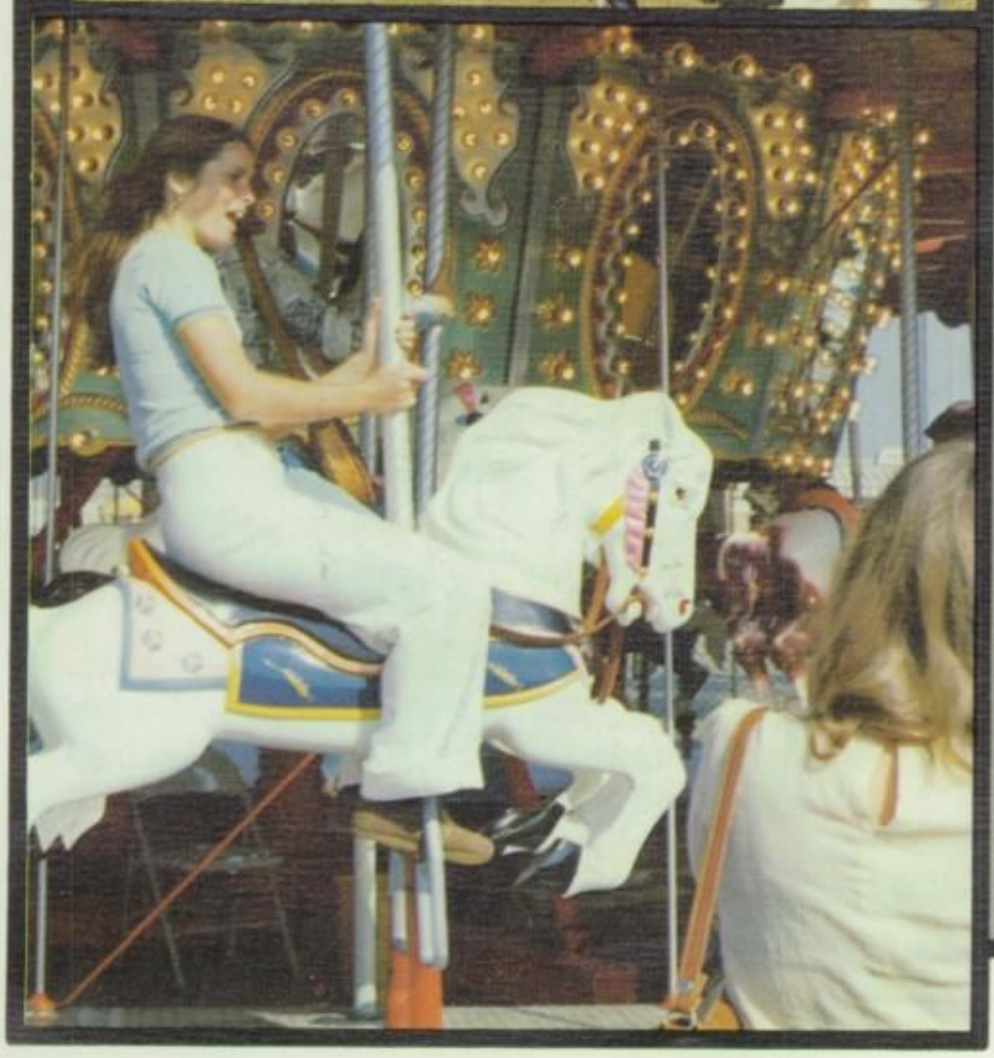


"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights, that among these are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

Declaration of Independence



The year: 1776

The men who wrote and signed the Declaration of Independence realized that all men have "certain inalienable rights." It was on these rights that the foundation of our country was built.

The year: 1976

Two hundred years later, this foundation still stands strong. But what do the "inalienable rights" of Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness mean for us here at Saint Bonaventure?

Take Liberty, for example. How does our school make us free? The answer doesn't come very easily to a guy who's just been told to get his hair cut, or to the girl who'd rather wear pants to school than an uniform skirt.

How has our school helped us in the pursuit of Happiness? Are we happy when we wake up on Monday morning and think "Oh, no, I've got to go to school today?" Are we happy when we arrive at school and find that our history teacher is assigning us a long report, or when we lose a game? No one can be happy or free all the time. A school may limit our freedom or our happiness in some ways, but it will always be found in other, more important ways. For example, there is the freedom to join an athletic team, and the happiness of watching a football game. There is the freedom to make friends, and the happiness that friends can give each other. And finally there is the happiness of knowing that we are getting a good education, and the freedom that it gives us.

And what about Life? What does life mean for us? When the writers of the Declaration of Independence talked about the right to life, they meant more than just the right to be physically alive; they meant also the right to enjoy it and live it to its fullest. How does this have significance for us at Bonaventure? What can our school offer us of life? Life is more important than freedom or happiness; in fact, freedom and happiness are a part of it. Friendship, too, is a part of Life, and so is enjoying the loveliness and beauty around us. Life is reaching for a goal, and finding it. Life is the sheer joy of life.

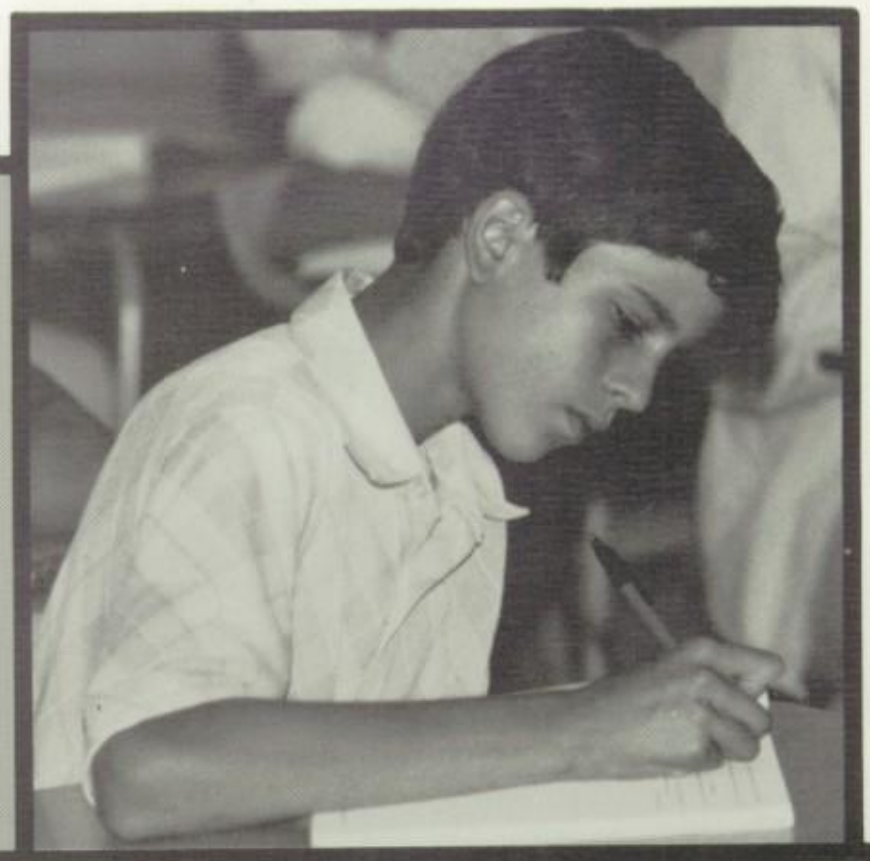
So, two hundred years after the inalienable right to life was first recognized in the Declaration of Independence, we have chosen to explore as the theme of this yearbook some of the important things which life involves here at Saint Bonaventure.

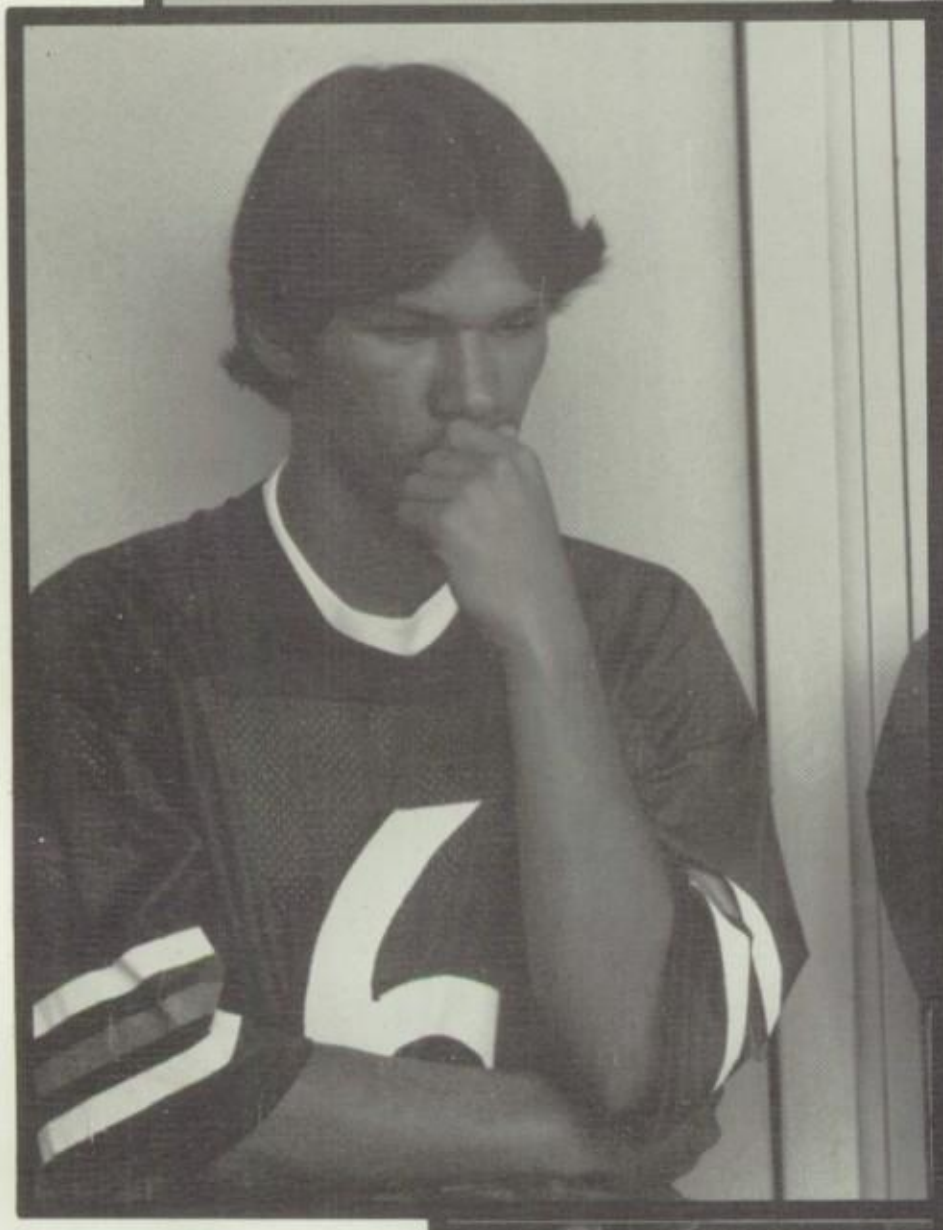
Craig Pauley

In our backyard a boy keeps his little dog Sharik chained up, a ball of fluff shackled since he was a puppy. One day I took him some chicken bones that were still warm and smelt delicious. The boy just let the poor dog off his lead to have a run around the yard. The snow was deep and feathery; Sharik was bounding like a hare, first on his hind legs then on his front ones from one corner of the yard to the other, back and forth, burying his muzzle in the snow. He ran towards me, his coat all shaggy, jumped on me, sniffed the bones - then off he went, belly-deep in the snow.

"I don't need your bones," he said. "Just give me my freedom."

Solzhenitsyn



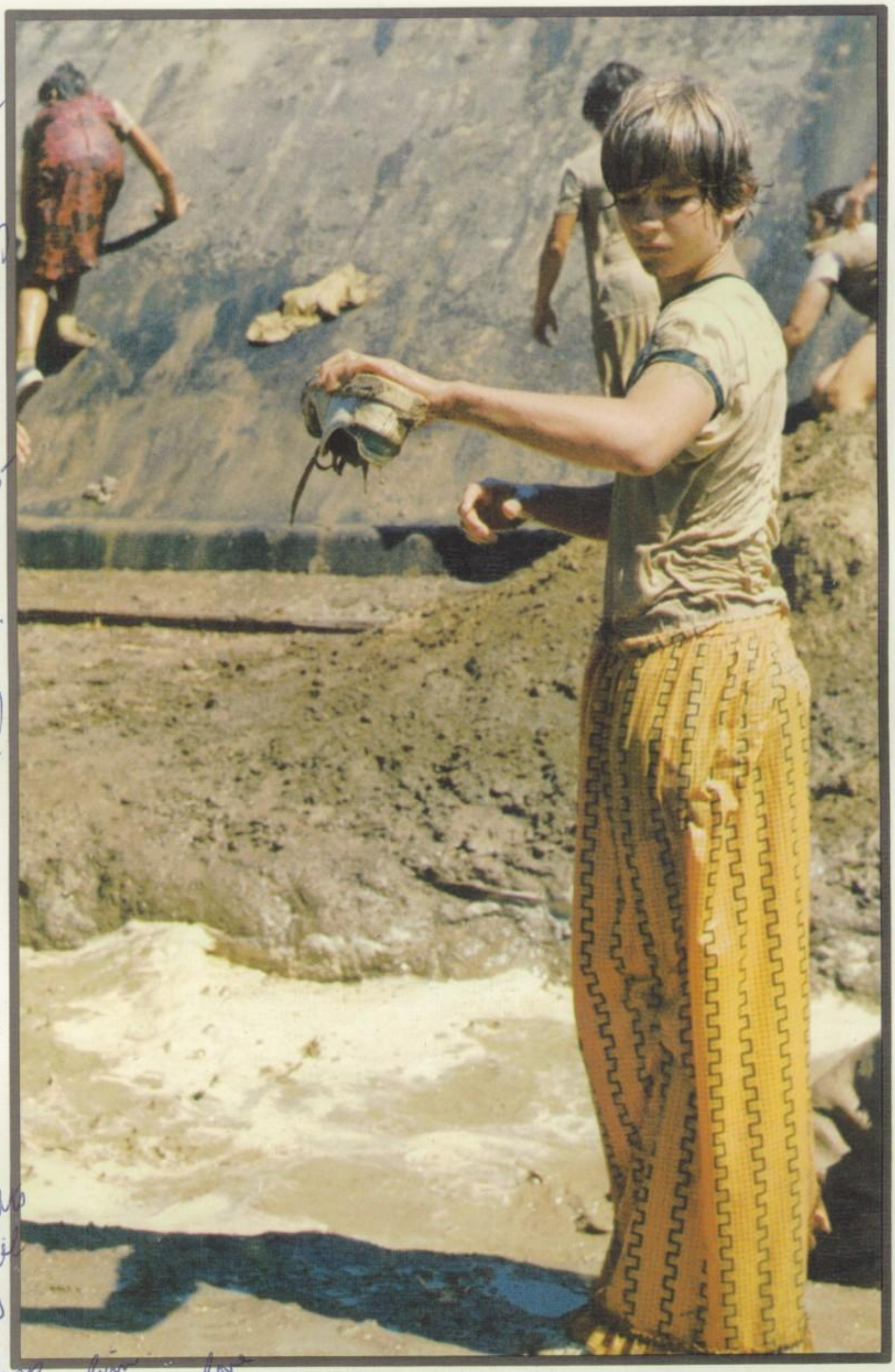


Michelle:
Well algebra
was a real pain
in the — . Had
alot of fun though.
Be good and take
care. Luv,
Sheri
Ellis

"You shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free."

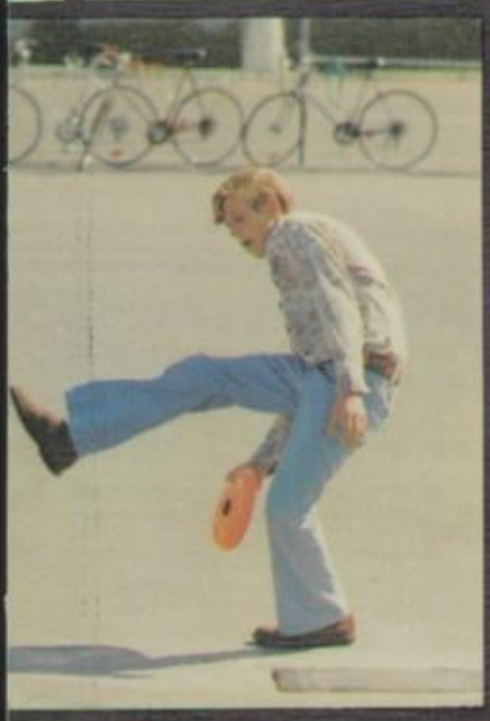
Jesus Christ

MICHELLE.
YOU'RE ONE OF THE PEOPLE I'VE SEEN GROW THIS YEAR. YOU MAKE ME WISH I WAS YOUNG AGAIN. KEEP SMILING AND SHARING THE LOVE WE'VE SHARED THIS YEAR WITH OTHERS
GOD LOVE YOU Martin



"To believe in God is to be one of those kids who just refuses to grow up and get older and older and die forever."

Joseph Pintauro



The grass whispered under his body. He put his arm down, feeling the sheath of fuzz on it, and, far away, below, his toes creaking in his shoes. The wind sighed over his shelled ears. The world slipped bright over the glassy round of his eyeballs like images sparked in a crystal sphere. Flowers were sun and fiery spots of sky strewn through the woodland. Birds flickered like skipped stones across the vast inverted pond of heaven. His breath raked over his teeth, going in ice, coming out fire. The million pores on his body opened.

I'm REALLY alive! he thought. I never knew it before, or if I did I don't remember!

He yelled it loud but silent, a dozen times! Think of it, think of it! Twelve years old and only now! Now discovering this rare time piece, this clock gold-bright and guaranteed to run threescore and ten, left under a tree and found while wrestling.

"Doug, you okay?"

Douglas yelled, grabbed Tom, and rolled.

"Doug, you're crazy!"

"Crazy!"

They spilled downhill, the sun in their mouths, in their eyes like shattered lemon glass, gasping like trout thrown out on a bank, laughing till they cried.

"Doug, you're not mad?"

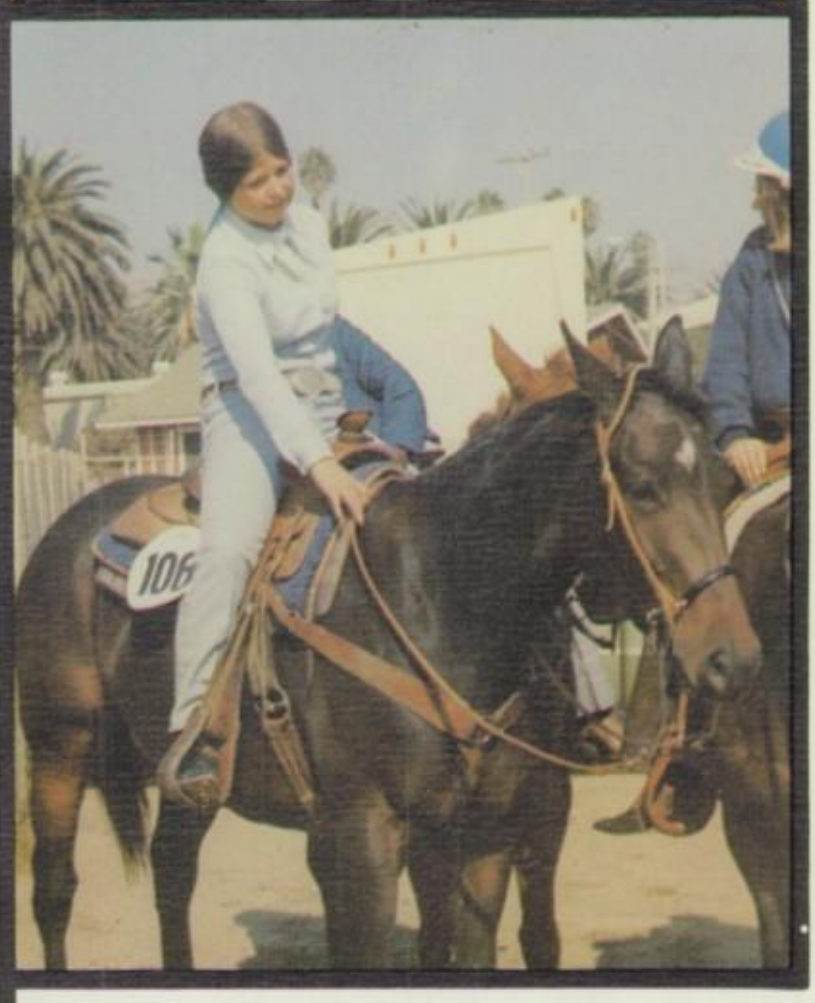
"No, no, no, no, no!"

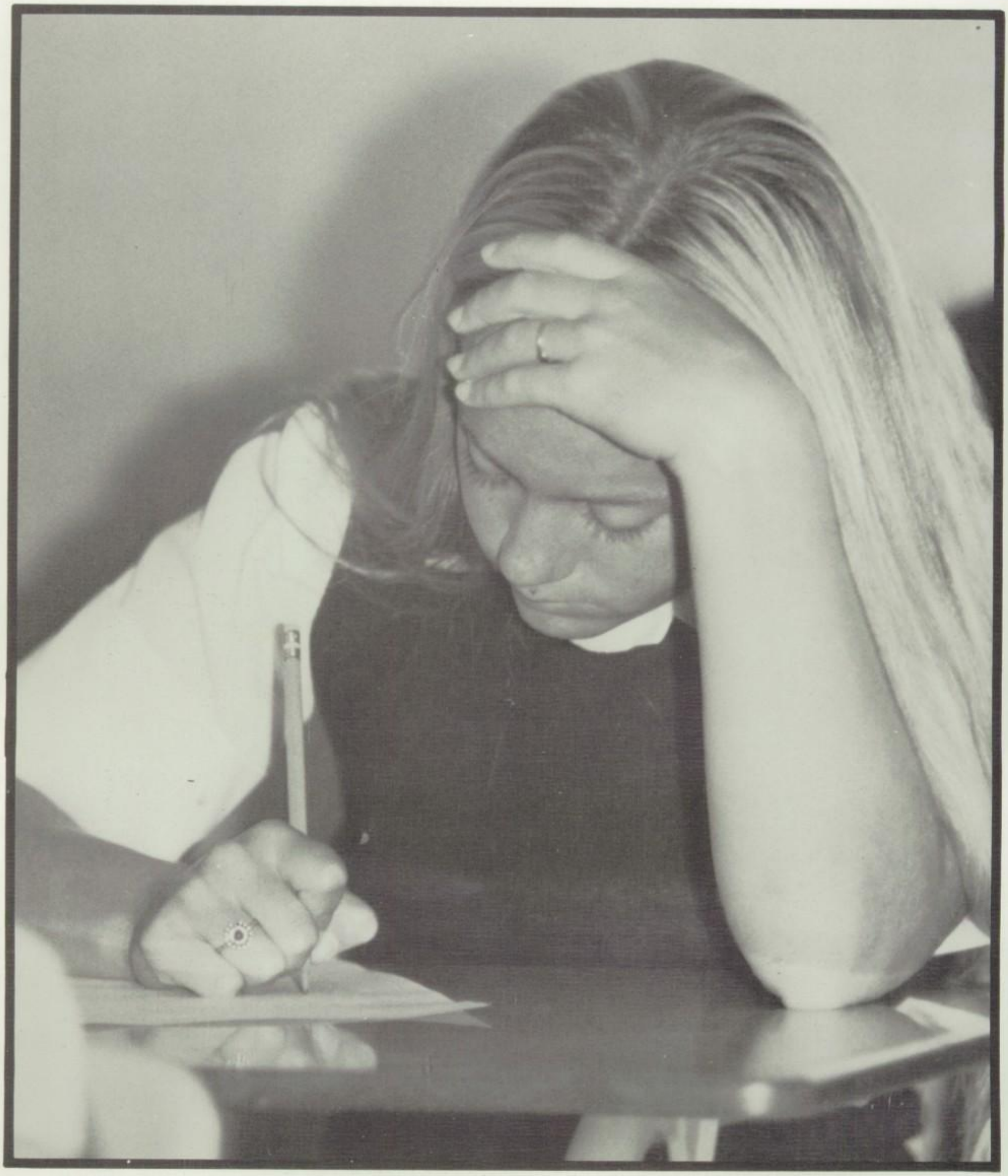
Douglas, eyes shut, saw spotted leopards pad in the dark.

"Tom!" Then quieter, "Tom . . . does everyone in the world . . . know he's alive?"

Ray Bradbury

Dandelion Wine





"Reach ever outward to that star which is always just beyond your grasp."

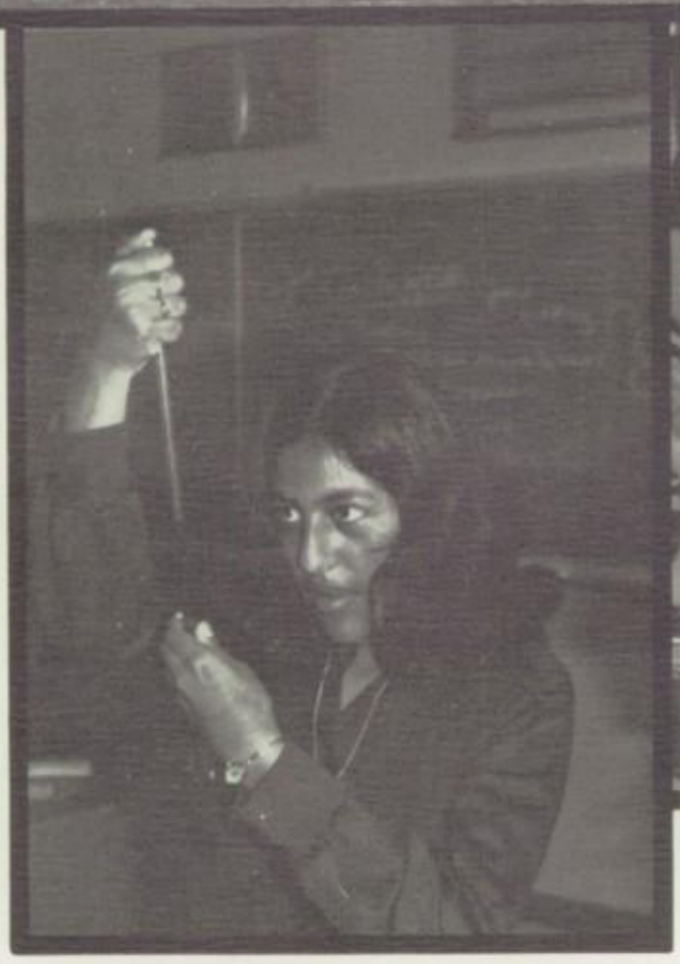
KACY

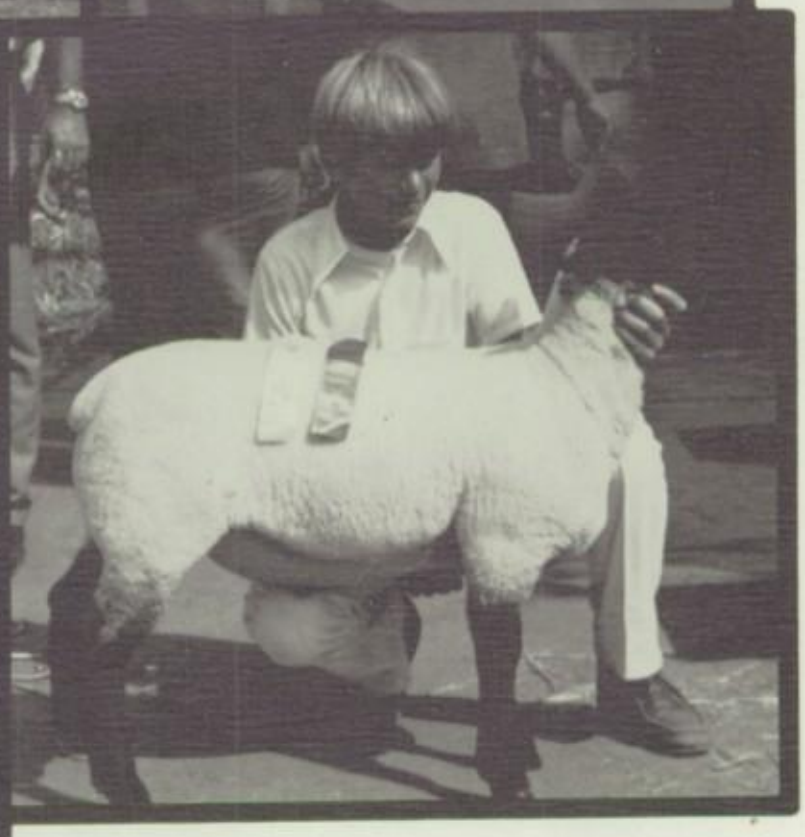
But to live
or not to live
is very much a conscious decision
each one must make.
Whether to go in search of life-giving
experiences
or not
is a conscious decision.

what difference does it make
if I learn to listen to the music of life about me,
to see the magic of creation;

what could it possibly matter
if I extend one kindness,
appreciate one thing of beauty,
give birth to one consciously love-filled second?
It matters a great deal,
for one person growing alive
is the only defense of a nation
or a world against growing dead.

Earnest Larsen, CSSR
Busy Being Born

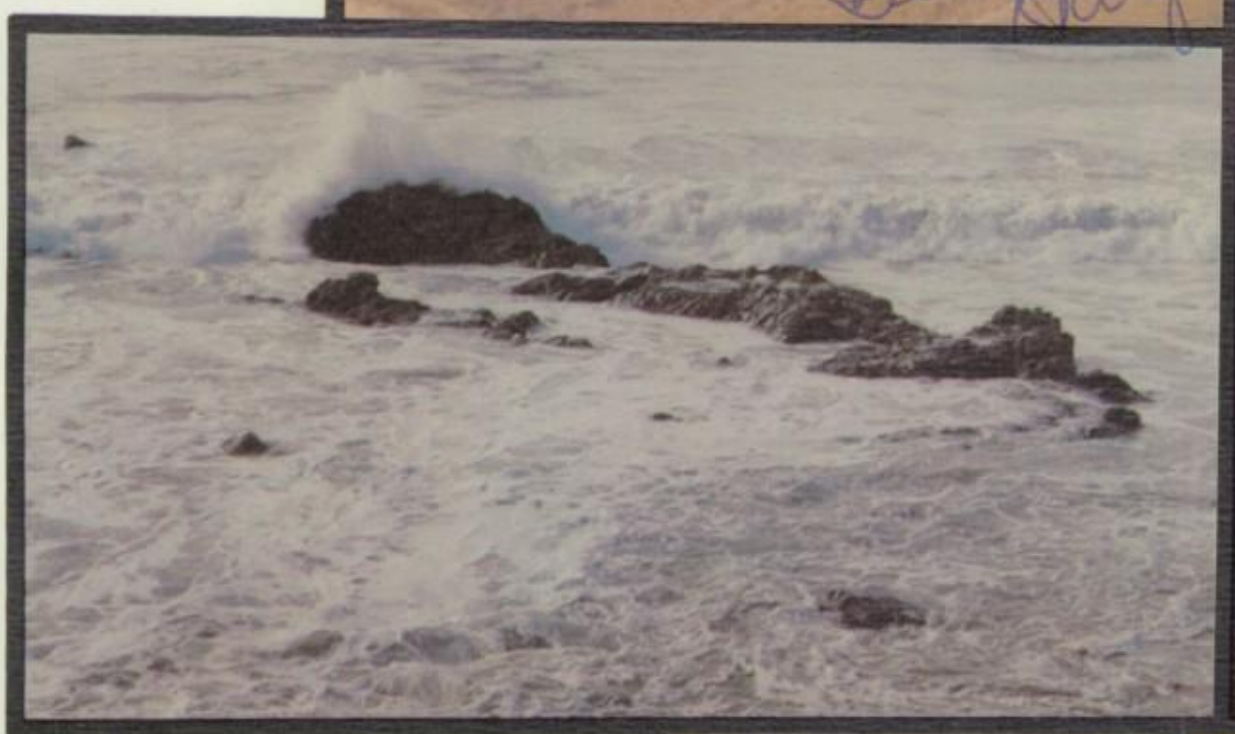


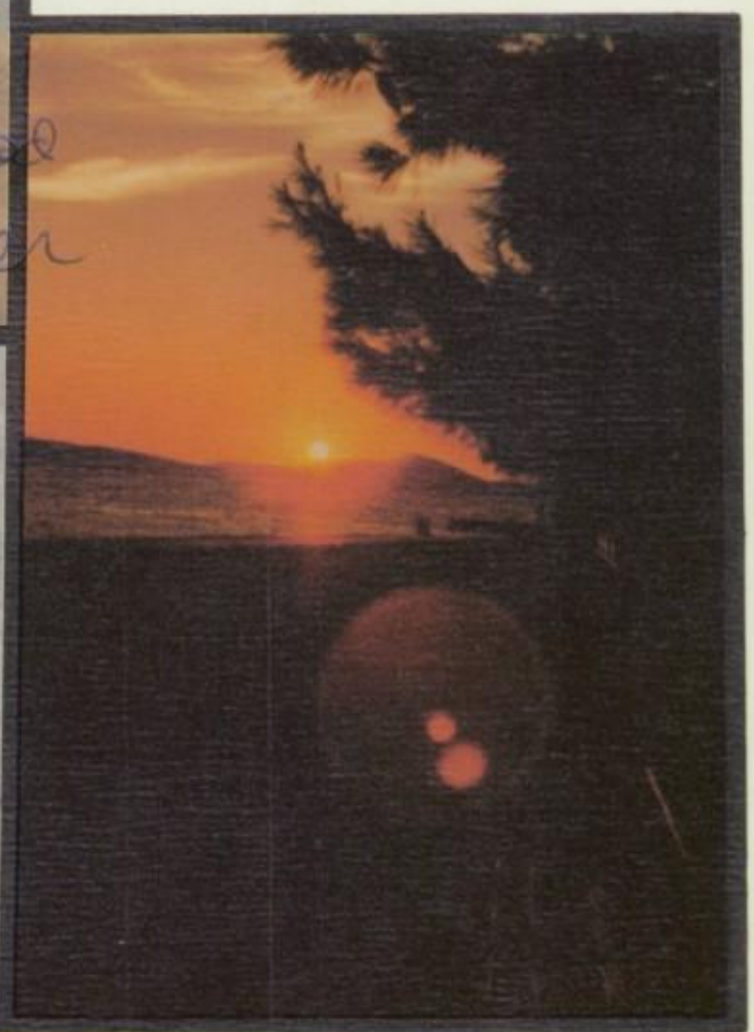


"Life has loveliness to sell."

Sara Teasdale

Michelle,
What a year. I wished could have gotten to know you more. You must be a pretty terrific person with Folk Choir and all. Keep wearing your Mickey Mouse. I just love it. Be good like me. Love Becky Harper





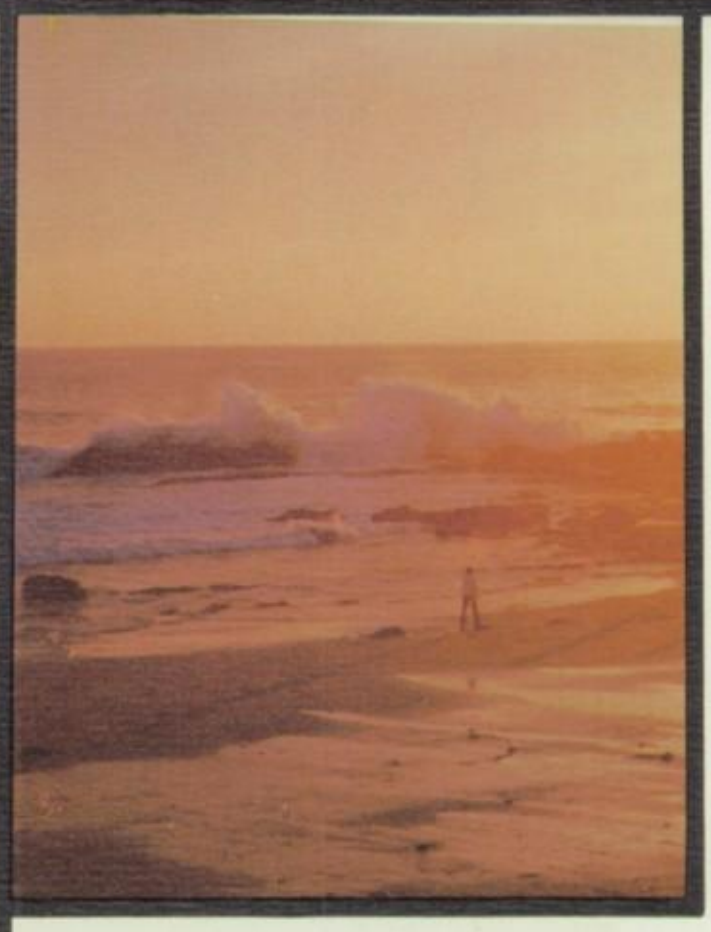
BARTER

Life has loveliness to sell,
All beautiful and splendid things.
Blue waves whitened on a cliff.
Soaring fire that sways and sings,
And children's faces looking up
Holding wonder like a cup.

Life has loveliness to sell,
Music like a curve of gold,
Scent of pine trees in the rain,
Eyes that love you, arms that hold.
And for your spirit's still delight,
Holy thoughts that star the night.

Spend all you have for loveliness,
Buy it and never count the cost;
For one white singing hour of peace
Count many a year of strife well lost,
And for a breath of ecstasy
Give all you have been, or could be.

Sara Teasdale



Shelley,
You are a real good friend. We will have to get together this summer and do something (chinese fire-drills particularly) See ya in the summer

Rocky
Folks

P.S. Good luck your Senior year

"Like a gust of wind your friendship has shaken me."

Kahlil Gibran

The fox gazed at the little prince, for a long time.

"Please - tame me!" he said.

"I want to, very much," the little prince replied. "But I have not much time. I have friends to discover and a great many things to understand."

"One only understands the things that one tames," said the fox. "Men have no more time to understand anything. They buy things all ready made at the shops. But there is no shop anywhere one can buy friendship, and so men have no friends any more. If you want a friend, tame me."

"What must I do to tame you?" asked the little prince.

"You must be very patient," replied the fox. "First you will sit down at a little distance from me - like that - in the grass. I shall look at you out of the corner of my eye, and you will say nothing. Words are the source of misunderstandings. But you will sit a little closer to me, every day."

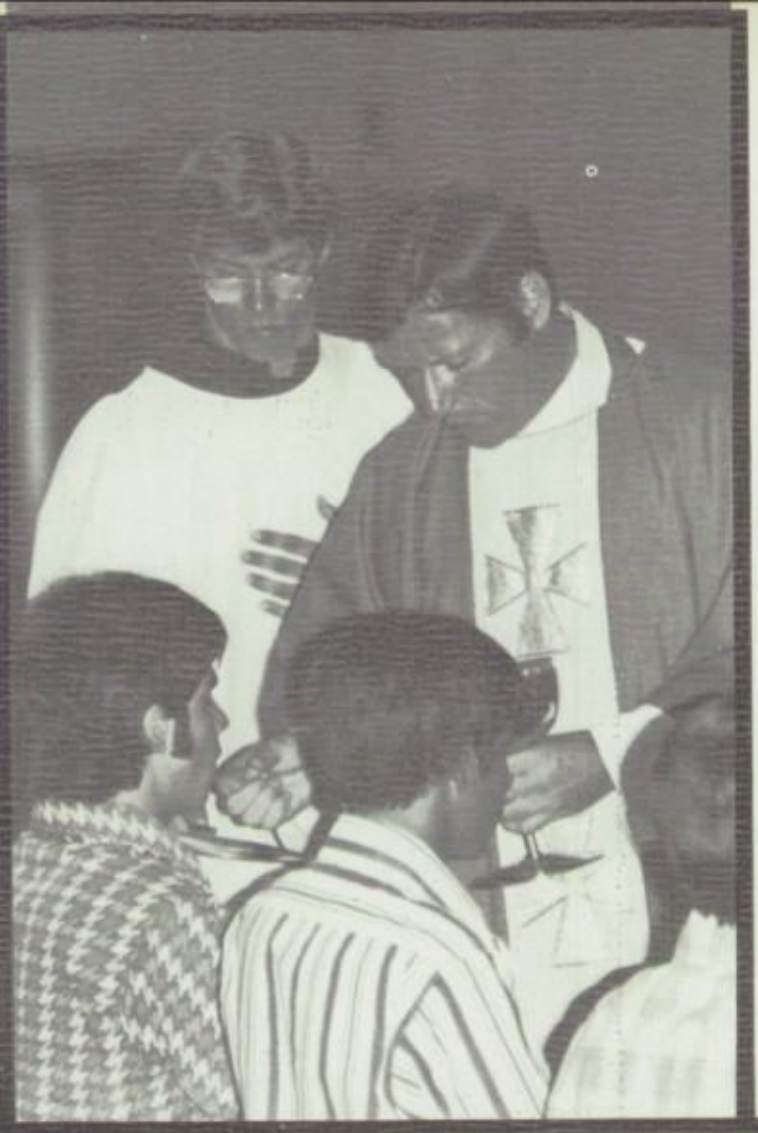
Antoine de Saint Exupery
The Little Prince

Rev. Thomas A. Meskill

Father Thomas A. Meskill, a native of Ireland, came to St. Bonaventure in the summer of 1966. At that time the practically-new school was preparing for its first senior class. The enrollment was about 250 students.

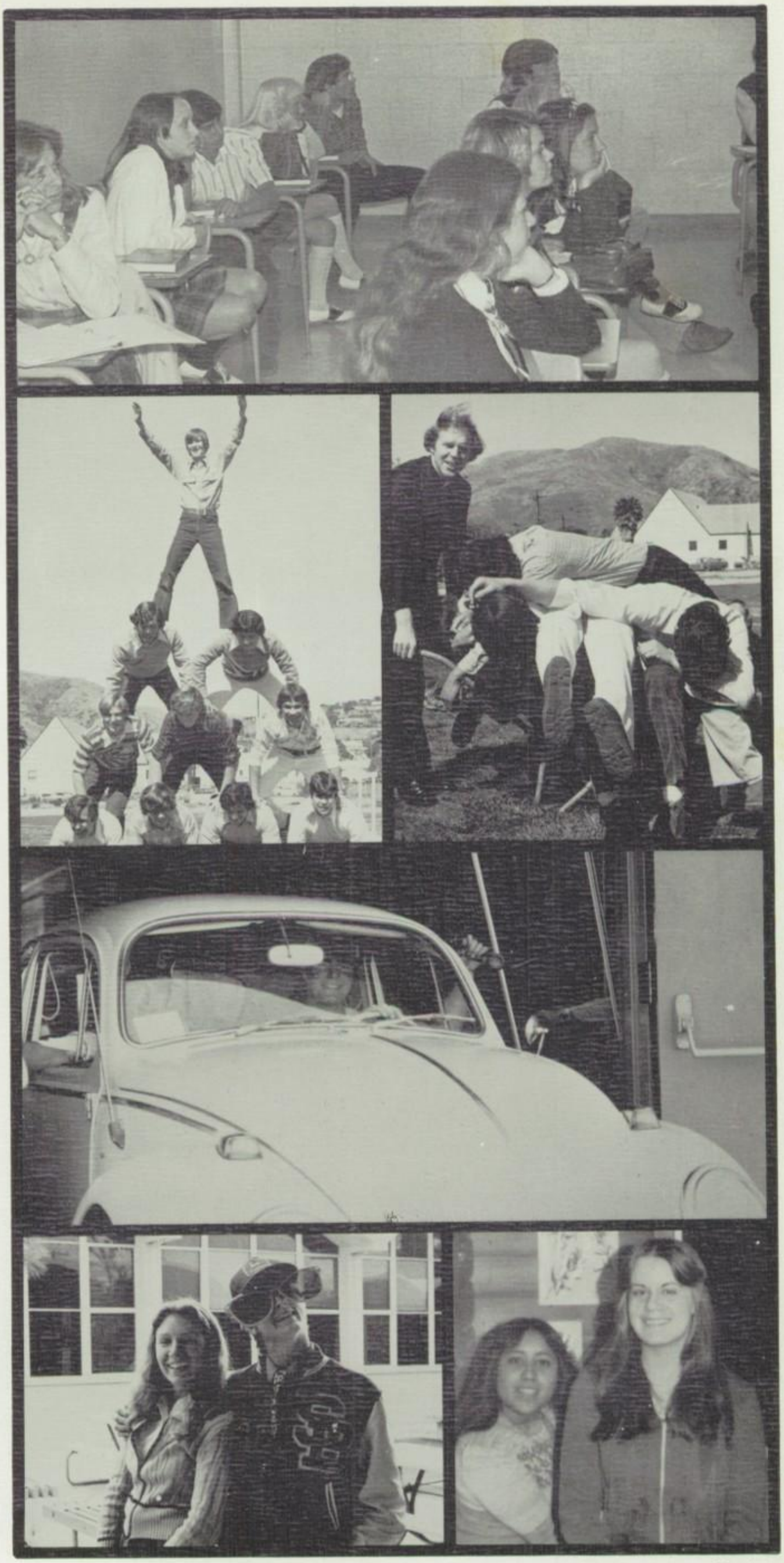
Ten years later St. Bonaventure boasts of an enrollment of more than 450. Guiding the school in its growth during these years has been Father Meskill. He has strived to bring to the school academic excellence, while insisting on the importance of religious values. Father has also improved the school financially through such fund-raising events as the candy drive and the annual fiesta. He has made many improvements in the school grounds and buildings. The freshly-painted lockers, the scrubbed cement, the fir trees in the courtyard, the flowers which always beautify the front of the school — these are Father's doing. Finally, he has brought St. Bonaventure such respect from the local community that now more than half of the student body come from public schools.

And so, to you, Father Meskill, in gratitude for ten years of serving our school, we dedicate this yearbook.



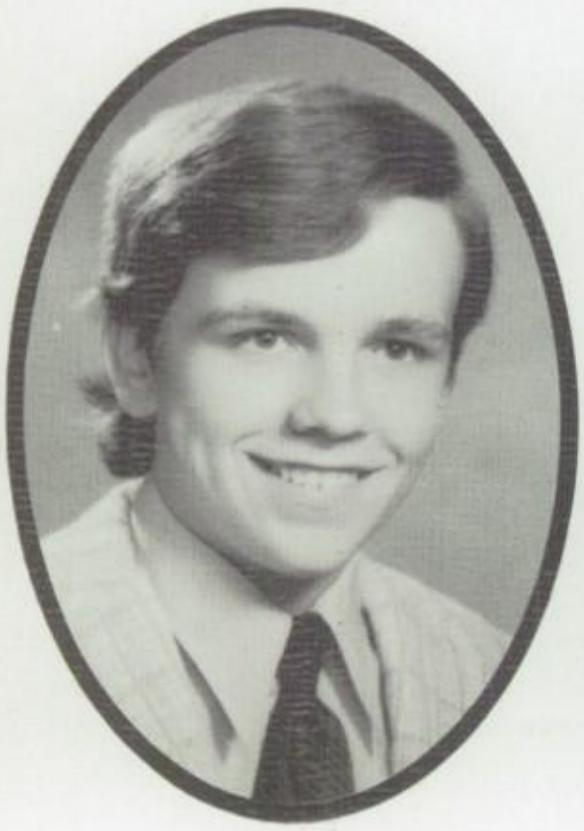
Dear Michelle,
Take care in everything you do this summer. Enjoy Ithaca to the fullest. Have a great Senior year and make it count. See you for Falls group. Take care in whatever you partake in in the future.
Love always
Irene '75

STEPHENS



SENIORS now find their life at St. Bonaventure drawing to a close. The freedoms, the restrictions, the happiness, the sadness, the victories, and the defeats will remain a part of the seniors even as their lives continue to change.

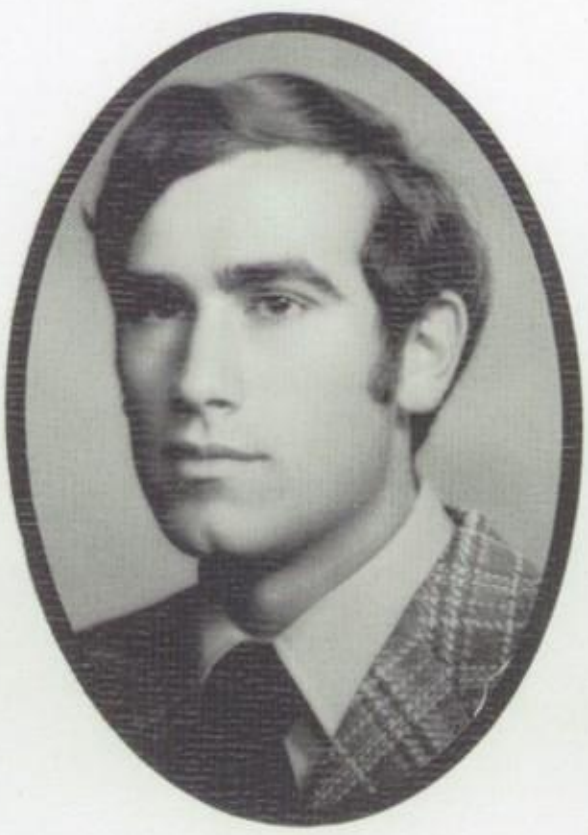
The **SPIRIT OF '76** is all around us. We can see it shining in Benjamin Franklin's face and reflecting in our own. It is the spirit of our country and the spirit of the Senior Class. It is the victory of the Revolutionary War and our victories on the field. It is the initiation of a free country and the initiation of the not-so-free freshmen. It is writing the Declaration of Independence and writing copy for the ARCHES. The spirit of '76 is all around us!!



Frank Russell Adams

Mark Alan Alexander

Christopher John Ange



James Arthur Autrey Jr.

David L. Avendano

Leann Claire Bacon

Paula Cecelia Barrett

Sarah Ellin Bausola

Thomas James Blough

Germaine Joan Bordagaray

Seniors 21

Mark Douglas Brock

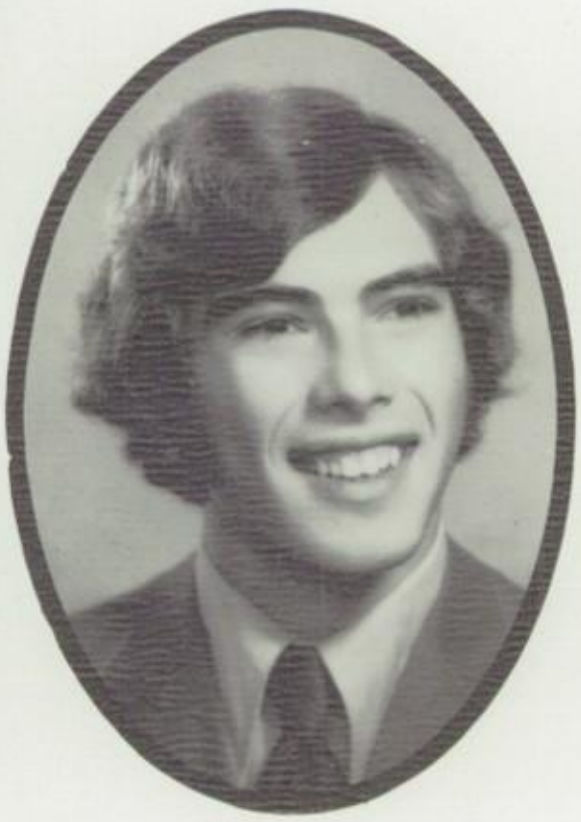
Kirsten Anne Brokaw

Kathy Joan Burkart

Martha Mary Caldwell

Mike borrows Brien's crutches for a little moral support.

Danny and Melinda rush down Main Street to catch up with the parade.



Paul Dennis Case

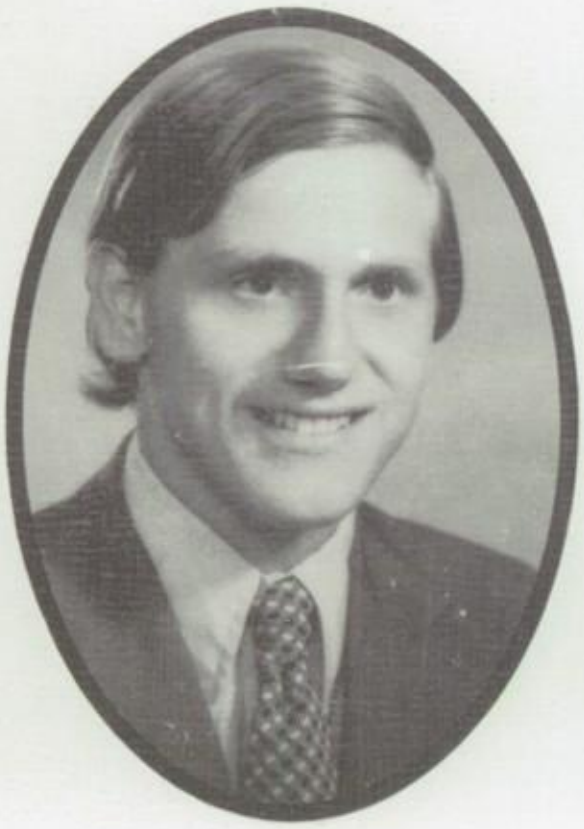
Cynthia Cash

Roger Donald Clow

Robert Joseph Cobey

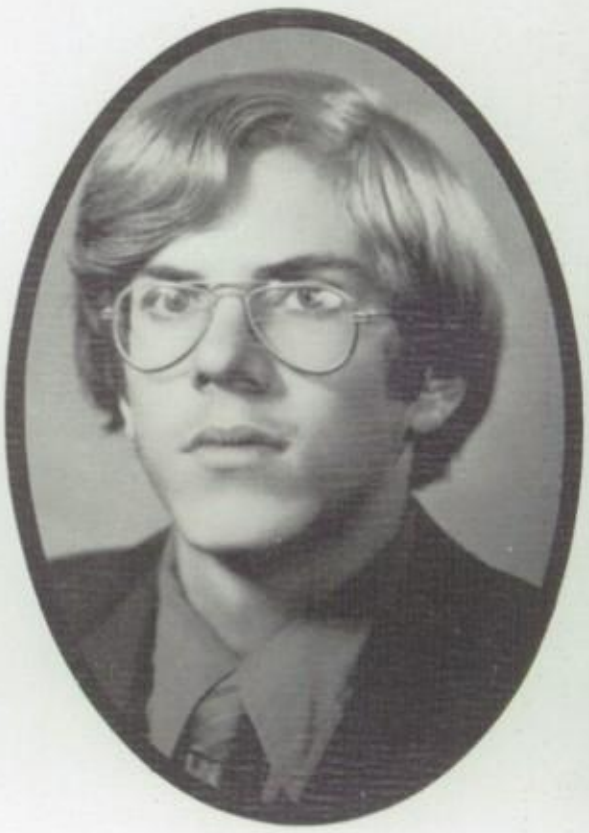
Susan Jeanne Colborn

The seniors of 1976 are **INVOLVED** in everything this year — winning spirit brooms at pep rallies, and receiving first place for their Homecoming float. They are active in the drama productions, student government, and athletic teams, not only as participants but as the leaders.



Thomas Raymond Connor

Paula Joanne Cummings



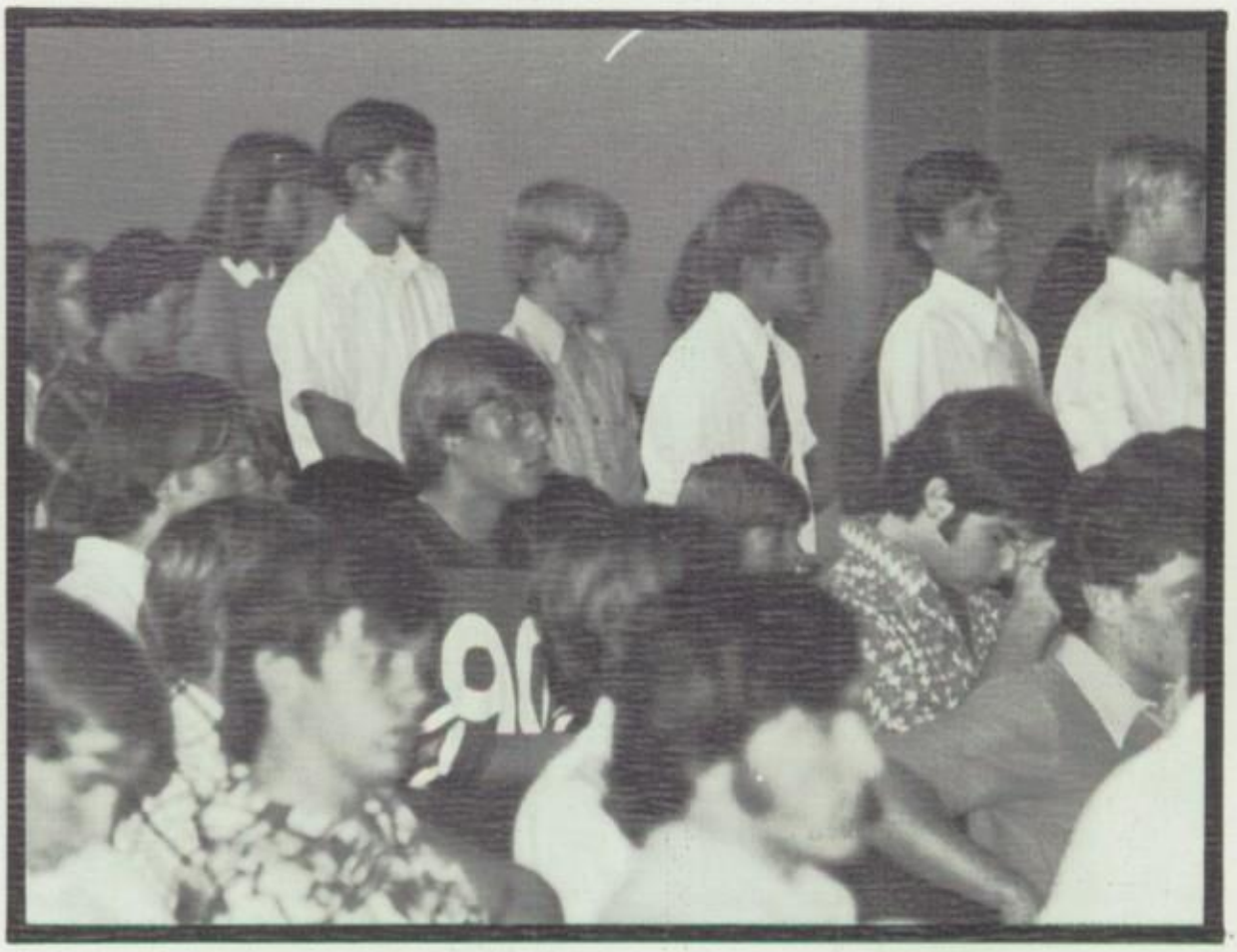
Peter F. Davis

Irma S. DeAnda

Paul Joseph Derse

Yolanda Diaz

Claudia Marie Drace



David Anthony Dufresne

William Brazel Erwin

Susan Gail Eubanks

Michelle,
its hard to believe
were cousins because
we seem worlds apart.
Oh well take it easy.
See you later.
Love,
Ken

"Duck" sits on his can.

Jeanine Dawn Faria

Brien H. G. Fitzgerald

Patricia Flores

Kenneth Martin Foulks

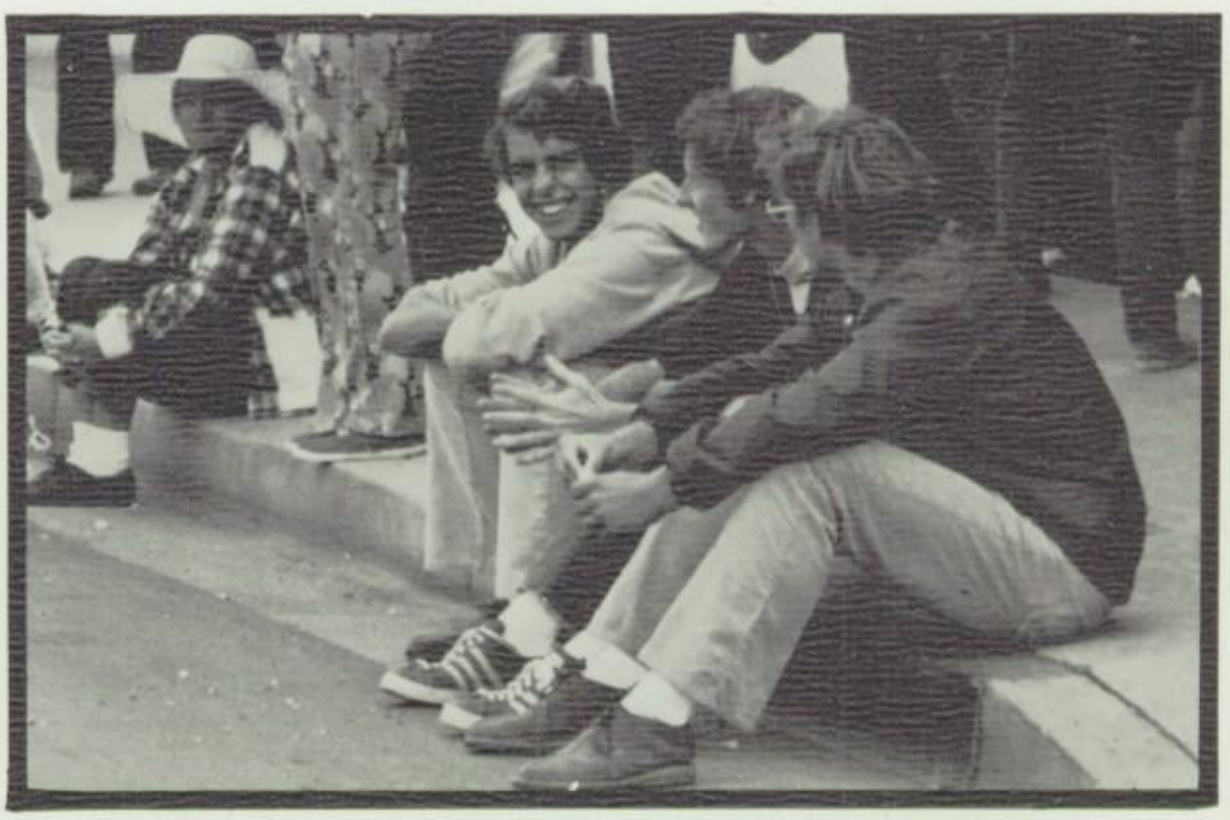
Michelle Marie Franchi

Pamela Jean Frank

Michael R. Garrett

Paula Joan Gerber

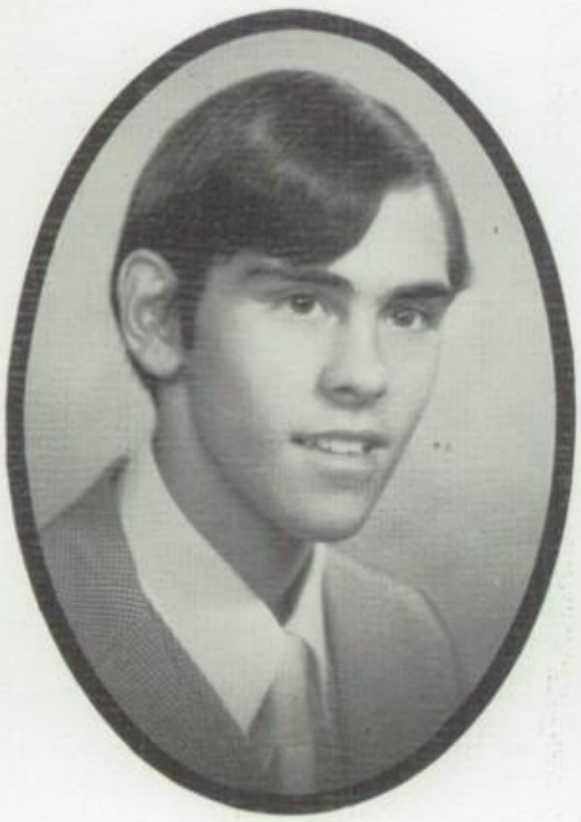
Mary Elizabeth Gleeson



Bob and Paul watch the parade but Doof would rather watch the camera.

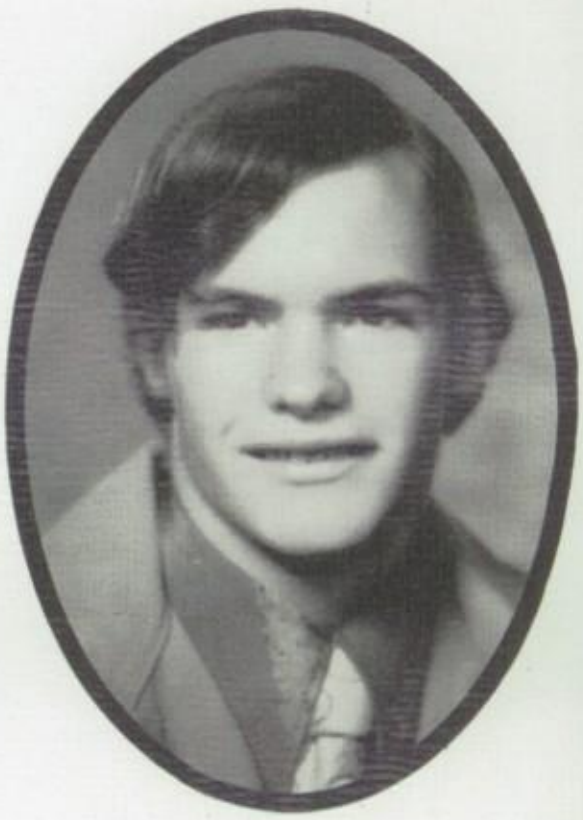
The class of 1976 can be found in many unexpected places — perhaps on a football field in the middle of a rainstorm, under the body of their favorite car, behind a volleyball or even in the **CLASSROOM.** Seniors were busy meeting term paper deadlines, writing civics reports, calculating the gravitational force of a car running backwards at 75 miles per hour, painting pre-game posters, ripping out the (bleackl) of the fetal pig, and wondering what E = E max sin (wt + b) is supposed to mean.

Michelle
Well one more year Thats great, I don't really know you that well, but you seem like a really nice person. Maybe next year we can get to know each other a little better. Have a great summer. Love
Don Shi



Armando Lozaro Gomez

Dean Anthony Goneau



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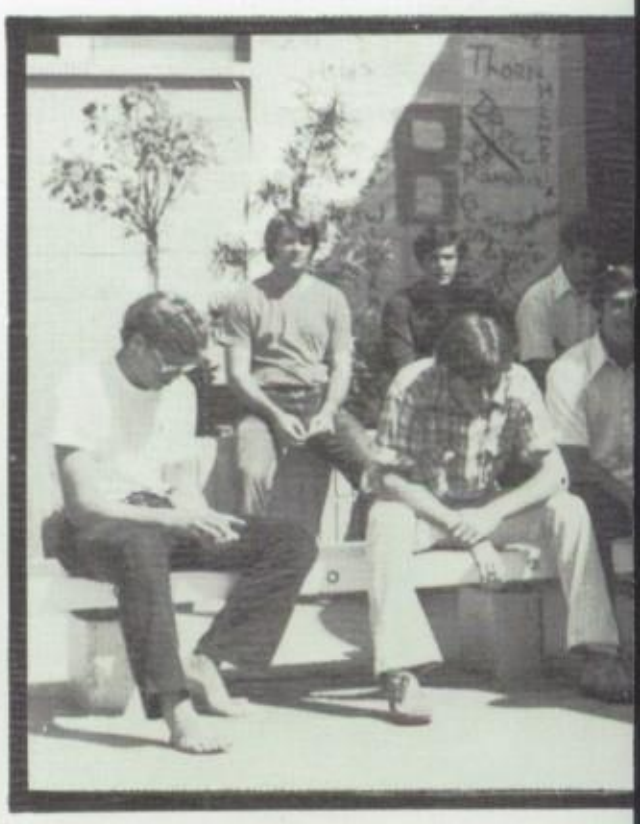


Remember this?

And this?

Craig Walton Held

Susan Marie Hoffman

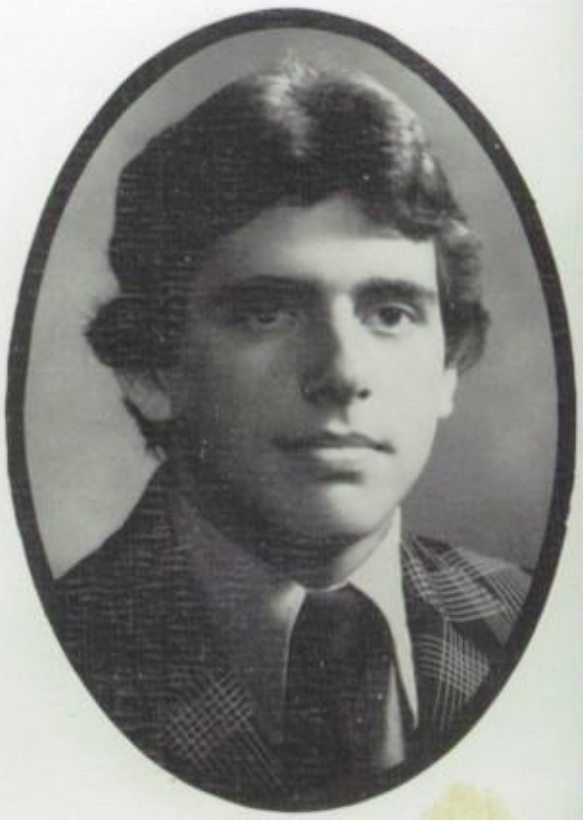
Jean Jennifer Hughes

Jane Elaine Hull

Anne Marie Kacic

Jane Anne Kahl

Seniors lost sleep over the weekend but caught up Monday morning.



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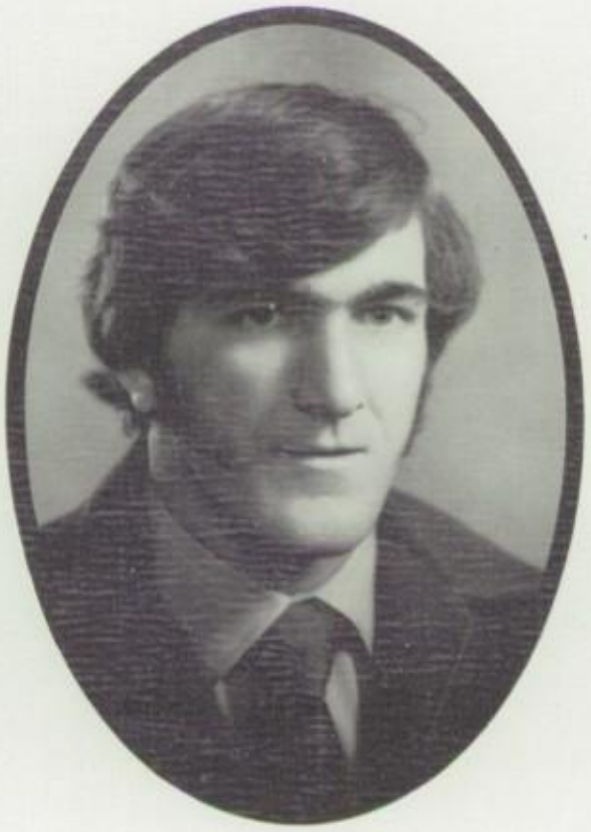
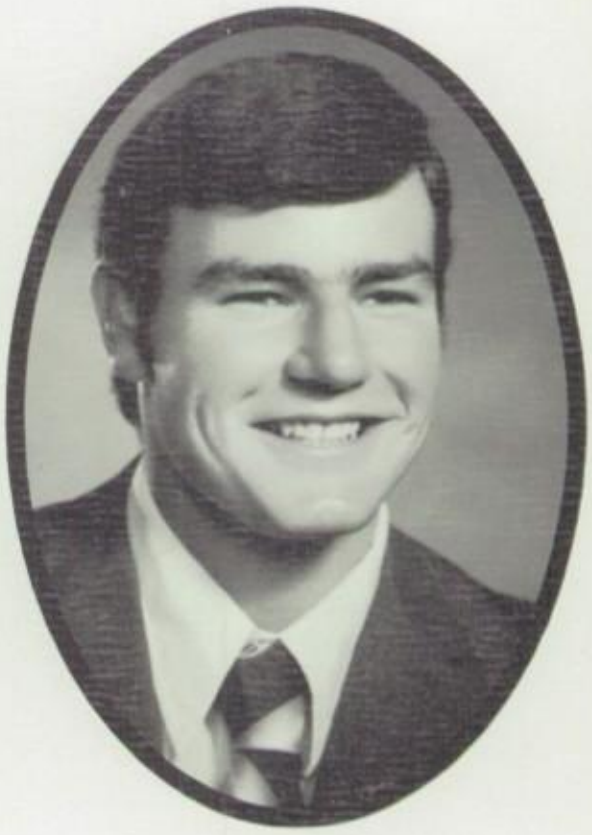
Paul Francis Henry Kern



Gregory Arthur Knapp



Richard Christian Kohr

Wanabelle Lawrence

Thomas Angelo Letus

Camilla Rose Lloyd-Butler

The best place to learn about seniors is on Senior

COURT. Students begin to gather there before school every day. Seniors (and occasional intruders) can also be found there during the break and during lunch. One minute seniors might be quietly talking about anything from teachers to weekend plans. The next minute some students may be tossing a football or gathering around to look at pictures. Senior Court is the one place that the seniors can call their own.

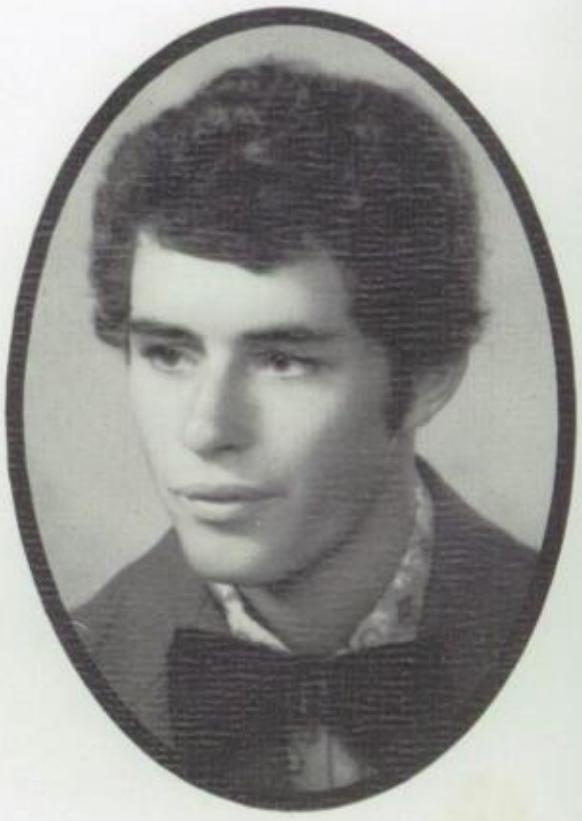
Diane Elizabeth Long

Jacob Mans

Roger wonders who initiated whom.

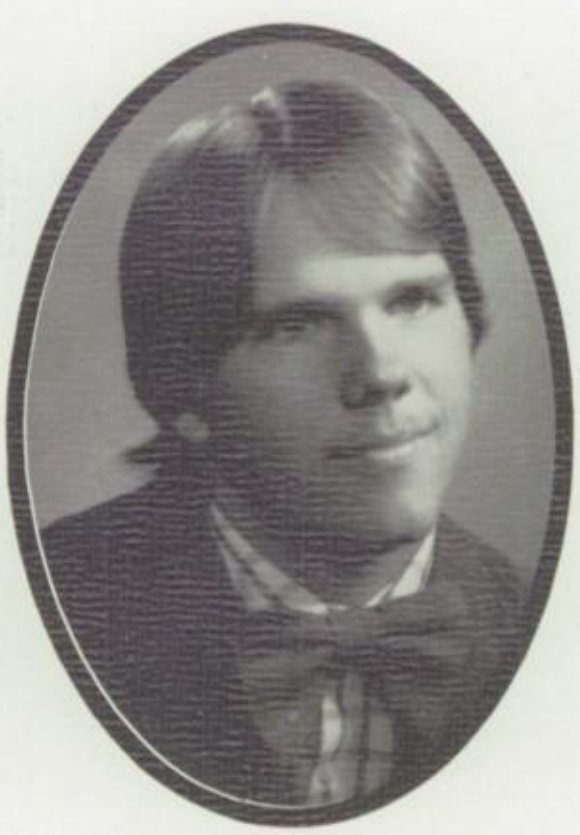
Christopher Robert Martel

Maureen Theresa McCarthy



Timothy Michael McCarthy

Karen Anne Megowan

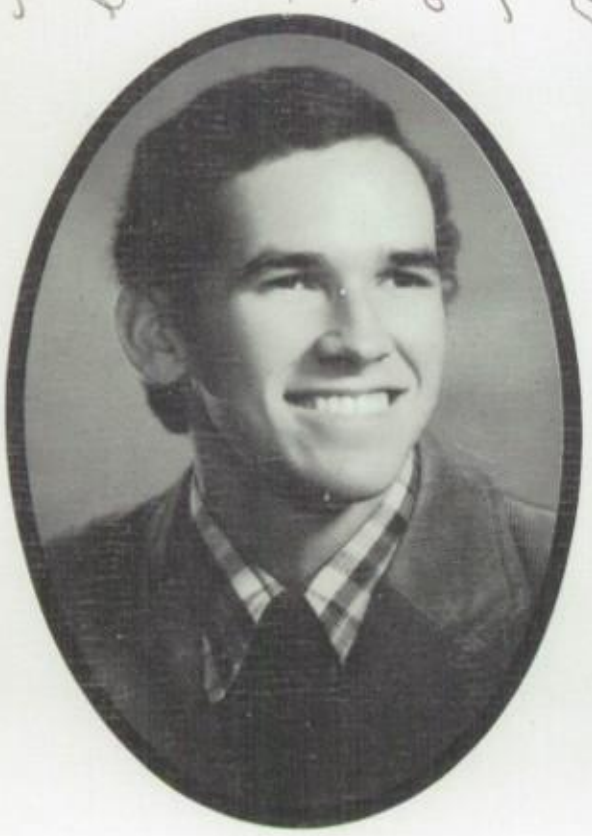


David Joseph Mellring

Patricia G. Mercer

Germaine shows her musical talent in the folk group.

Charles Michael Mouwen



Joseph Daniel Navarro

Alexandra G. Nesbitt

Suzanne Elizabeth Newman

Denise and Janine thoroughly enjoy the pep rally.

Sylvia Ocequeda

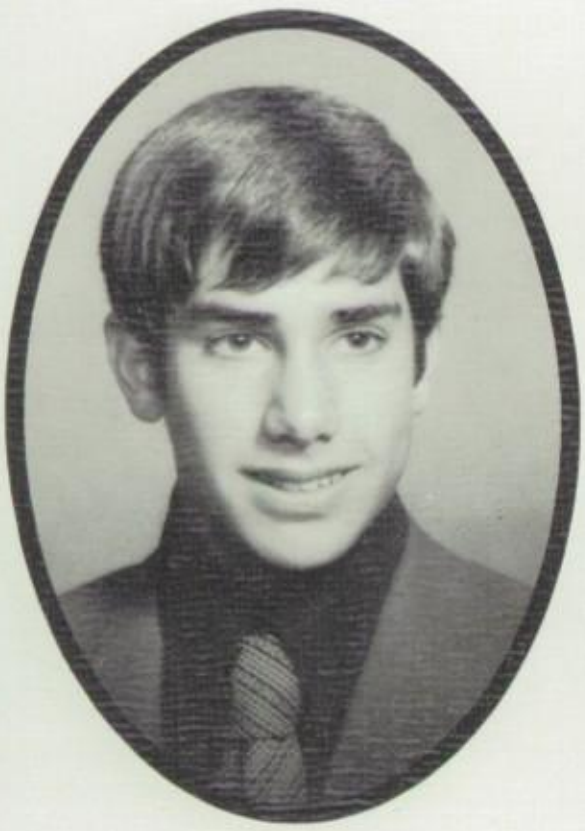
Know what I want to say. I love you and I'm grateful to God for having allowed me to meet you. Take care and be good.

Love always
Sylvia

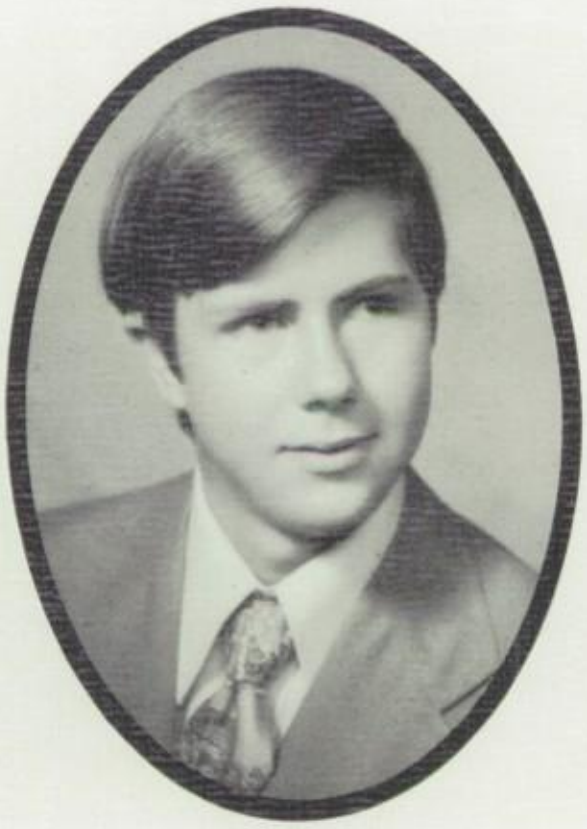
The cookie monster strikes again.

Kathleen Marie Ordner

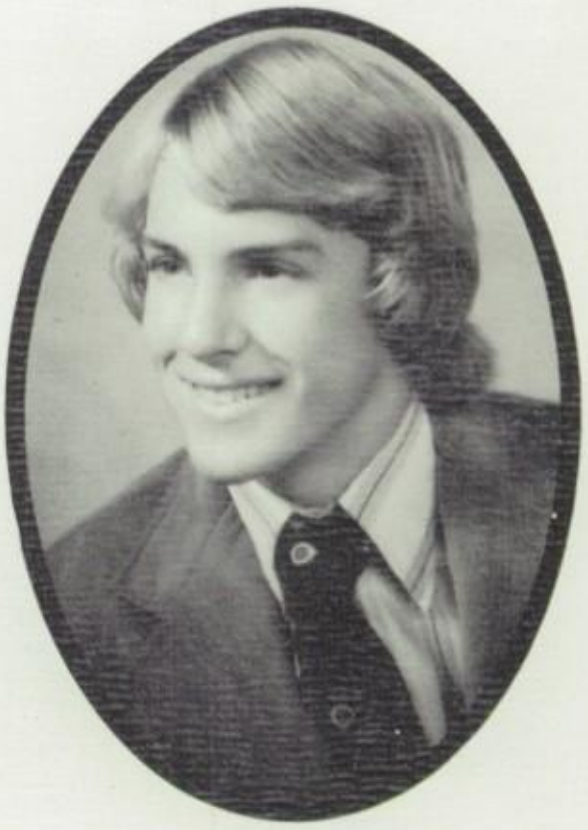
Kathryn Theresa Pacheco



Gregory James Parrone



J. Craig Pauley

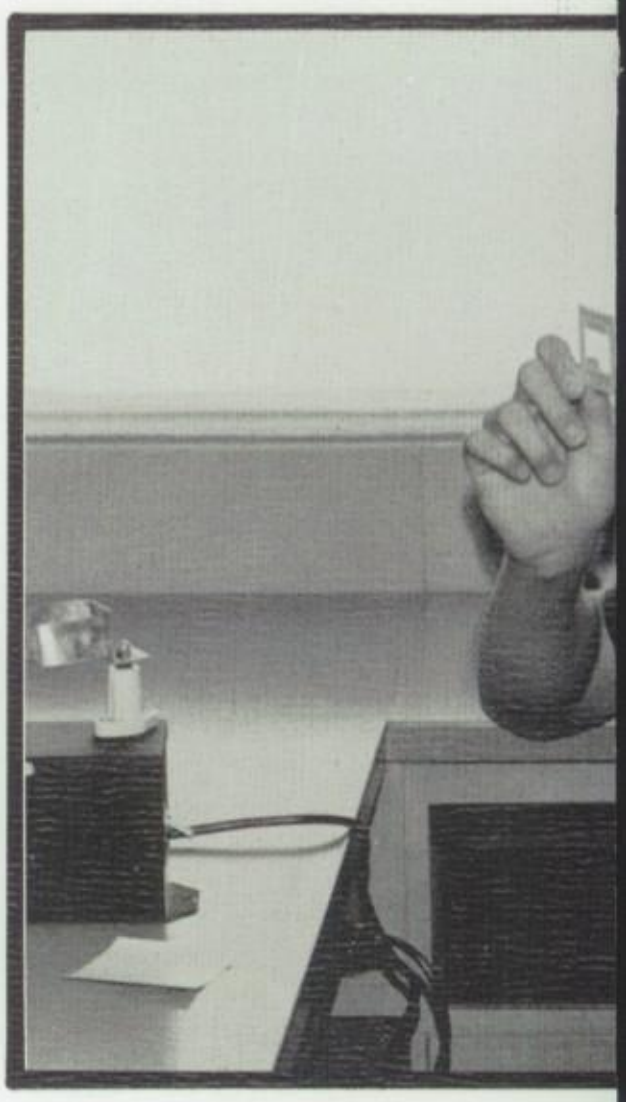


Ross Douglas Phillips

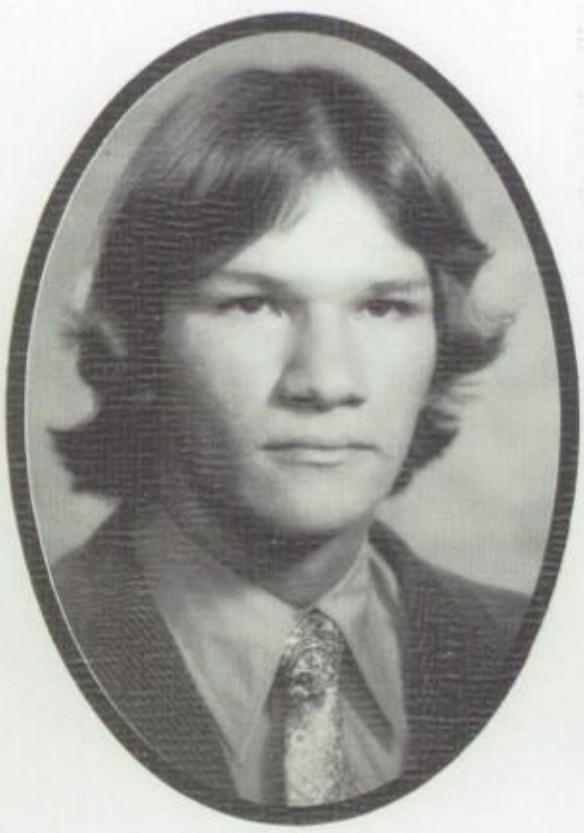
The seniors of today are faced with the decisions that no lower class must experience. Many questions must be answered and most deal with the **FUTURE.** Where to go and what to do, after graduation from St. Bonaventure — apply to a university? attend Ventura College? choose a military career? What shall I be? what shall I do? what shall I major in? are other questions. The seniors of today have more options than past classes due to more advanced technology, to voluntary military service, and to the women's liberation movement.

Kathryn Marie Pierce

Christine Pillado



"By the way, what am I looking for??"



Michael Anthony Porras

Ronald P. Ramirez

Denise Marie Reardon

Seniors munch away on a rainy day.

Pamela Ann Reynolds

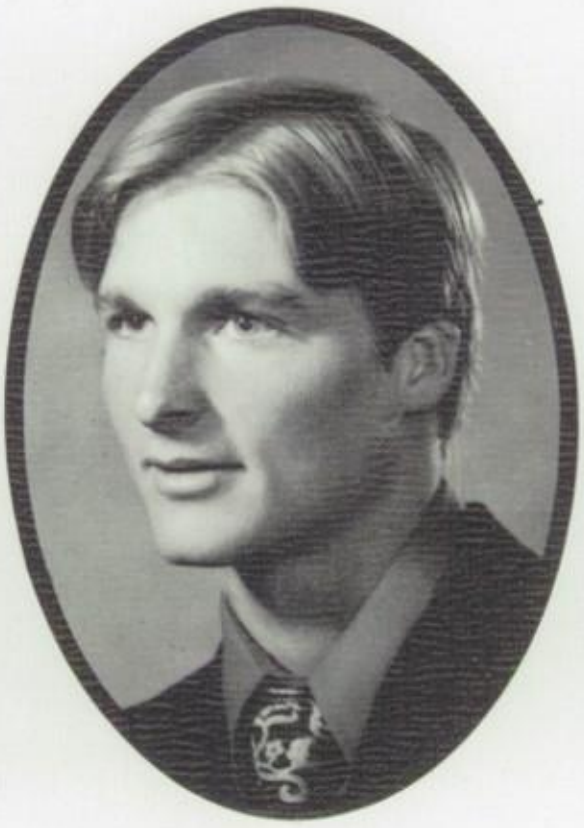
Janine Anne Robertson

Mary Patricia Rooney

Catherine Schneiter

Lise Ann Schramm

Melinda Marie Sliger

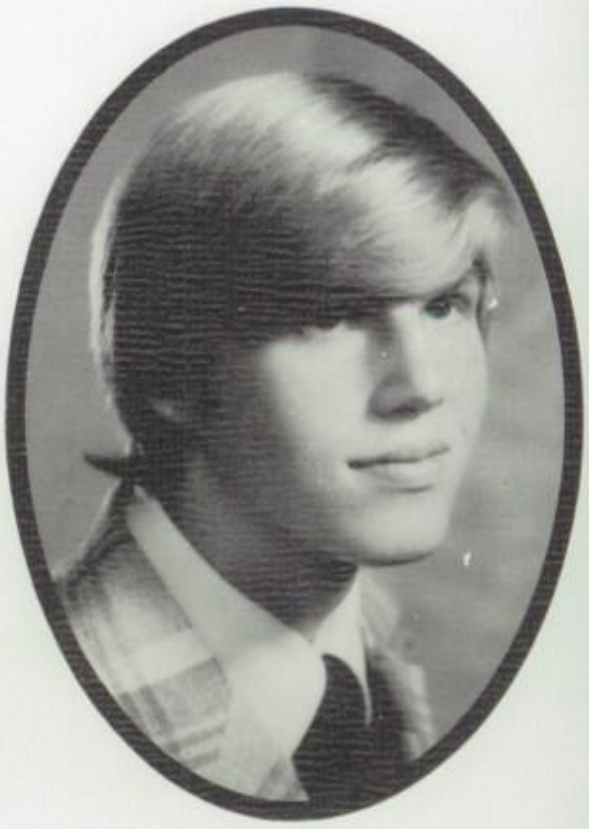


Tom Patrick Sliger

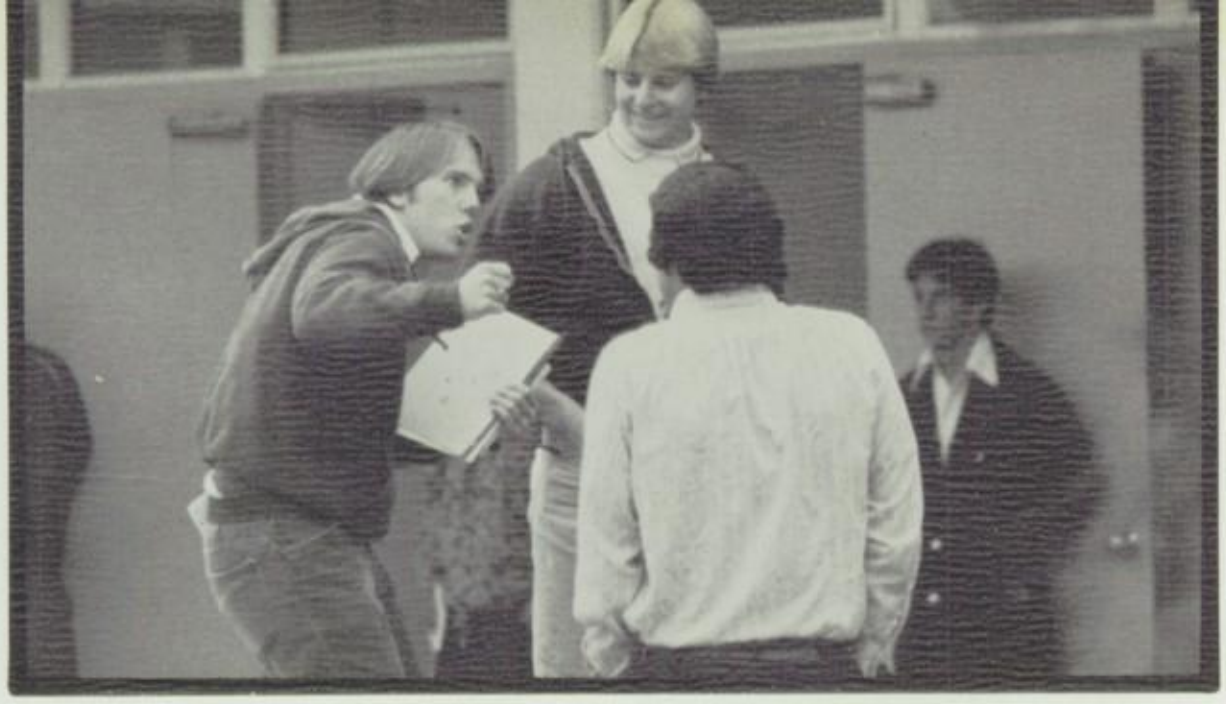
Sandra Louise Spencer

Marilyn Ann Stevenson

Kim Marie Strickley



Liam Patrick Thorpe



Dave tells of his weekend adventures.

LeAnn Marie Tingstrom

Melanie Anne Traverse

Ruth Ann Vomund

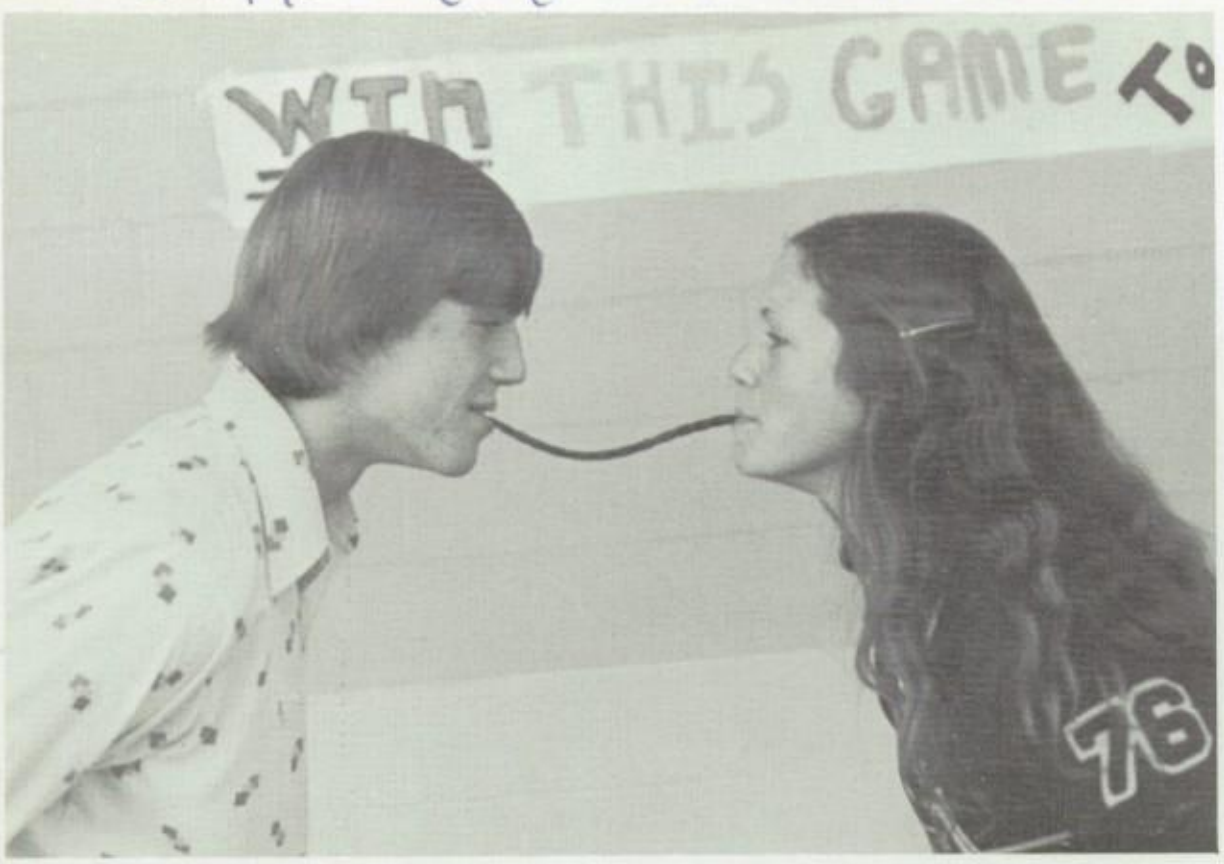
Carol Jennifer Walton

George Howard Williams

Teresa Diane Woodyard

Dear Michelle,
Well, you're going to be a senior. Live each day to the fullest because it goes awfully fast believe me. It's the best year. It's been great having you back in the folk group. It's a miracle that we survive. I hope all your dreams and wishes always come to past. Take care and good luck.

Friends always,
Jane Hull



FRIENDLIEST: Liam Thorpe and Jane Hull.

BEST DRESSED: Ronnie Ramirez and Pam Reynolds.

CLASS CLOWNS: Susan Colborn and Tom Sliger.

SHYEST: David Avendano and Susan Hoffman

MOST SPIRITED: Dan Navarro and Jeanine Faria.

MOST VERSATILE: Mark Keating and Kim Strickley.

MOST ATHLETIC: Melinda Sliger and Bob Gstettenbauer.

CLASS COUPLE: Camilla Lloyd-Butler and Greg Knapp.

BIGGEST FLIRTS: Dean Sengbusch and Janine Robertson

BEST LOOKING: Suzanne Newman and Paul Case.

MOST SCHOLARLY: Craig Pauley and Patty Mercer.

BEST PERSONALITY: Sandie Spencer and Dan Navarro.

Michelle
I have not known you very long but I consider you a nice person. We had fun in the year of 75" Remember me as I'll remember you fool always

Thomas M. Brock

RUSS ADAMS
Hasseling all my teachers, Mr. Murphy's office, blue eyes, graduation and truckin'.

MARK ALEXANDER
Winning Tri-Valley League in baseball (J.V.), Senior prom, and lunchtime.
Bowling 3, 4; Football 2; Baseball 2, 4.

CHRIS ANGE
Dropping an adidas bag filled with 1/5's of Hiram Walkers, catching a moose, Senior Court, and golfing.
Bowling v.p. 3, 4; Drama Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 2; Track 4; Golf 1, 2, 3, team capt. 2; Rednecks 4.

JIM AUTREY
Senior year, beating Fillmore 7-6, J.V. Football, and Jr. year fruit fights.
Football 3, 4; Track 2; Rednecks 4.

DAVID AVENDANO
Last day of football and being able to go home when the sun is still out.
Football 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 4; Basketball 1, 2.

LEANNE BACON
The Seniors winning all the league games, spirit flags, Homecoming float and game and being able to graduate in 1976.
Chorus 2; Pep Club 2, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; Yearbook 4; Folk Choir 2, 3, 4.

PAULA BARRETT
Junior float-making parties and the people at the retreat.
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Yearbook 3; Pep Squad 2, 4; A.S.B. Secretary.

SARAH BAUSOLA
Baseball, hot dogs, apple pie, and Chevrolet, and my senior retreat.

TOM BLOUGH
The time a friend dropped a liquor bottle in freshman corridor, those uncanny haircuts, and a class united by a retreat.
C.S.F. 4; Baseball 3, 4; Rednecks 4.

GERMAINE BORDAGARAY
Freshman year, pep rallies, Mr. Lucido's English and Mrs. Farrell's P.E., senior retreat, and D.V., great plays and friends.
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 2, 3, 4; Yearbook 3, 4; Folk Choir 2, 3, 4; Bowling 3, 4; (pres.); Track 2, 3; Basketball 1; Softball 1.

MARK BROCK
Allman Brothers concert with Don Nesbit.

KIRSTEN BROKAW
No fond memories of this place.

KATHY BURKART
My fondest memories are cheerleading, sophomore year, Senior Retreat, and best friends.
Spanish Club 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Pep Squad 2.

MARTHA CALDWELL
Leaving Carpinteria H.S. and coming to S.B.H.S., Homecoming '75, being basketball statistician, Homecoming Dance.

PAUL CASE
Eating cake with George at the Senior Retreat.
Football 10, 11; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.

CINDY CASH
Sophomore year, the prom, Br. Denis, party the day the Cardinal came.

ROGER CLOW
Getting out of class to bring the Senior float from Santa Paula.
Bowling 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 4; Baseball 4; Track 4; Basketball 1, 2.

BOB COBEY
Freshman initiations, and the "sights" at lunch time.
Football 2, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Rednecks 4.

SUSAN COLBORN
Splitting during cheerleading tryouts, Cheerleading 75-76, Homecoming 73 and 74, the prom, taking a teacher to a school function, retreat, Pizza Palace, and M.S.
C.S.F. 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; Yearbook 2, 3; Photography 2; Pep Squad 4; Pep Band 1, 2; Track 1, 2; Junior Class Secretary.

TOM CONNOR
People, good times with good friends, parties.
Drama Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 2; Football 2; Track 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4.

PAULA CUMMINGS
Senior year, ARCHES, skipping school in the rain to save the Senior float and getting caught . . . winning first place, horseback riding on the beach.
C.S.F. 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; Yearbook 3, 4.

PETER DAVIS
Mr. Murphy's office, "when you say Bud" parties, greenflash gigs, kicking back, cheap thrills.
Drama Club 3, 4; Rednecks 4; Snorkleball 2, 3, 4; Ventura Free Clinic 2, 4.

IRMA DE ANDA
Senior year, when I got detention for leaving school to get the Senior float.
Spanish Club 3; Chorus 1, 2; Pep Club 4; Drama Club 4.

PAUL DERSE
Lunchtime.
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Rednecks 4.

YOLANDA DIAZ

"Graduation."

CLAUDIA DRACE

Freshman year, initiation, religion class, and the new experiences.

Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3; Yearbook 3, 4.

DAVID DUFRESNE

The "Junior" gang.

Football 1, 2; Baseball 1, 4; Golf 2, 3; M.V.P. — Golf 2.

BILL ERWIN

Pep Club 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2; Track 3; Golf 4; Rednecks 4.

JEANINE FARIA

The football and basketball games, science classes, office of A.S.B. Pres., the indescribable spirit I've been a part of, "Friends, I will remember you."

Spanish Club 1, 2; Chorus 1; C.S.F. 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 3, 4; Yearbook 3, 4; Track 3; A.S.B. Pres.; Pep Club Sec. 3.

BRIEN FITZGERALD

Parties, broken ankles, beating Carp. in basketball my Junior year, current events in Civics.

Photography 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4.

PATRICIA FLORES

Junior prom, Graduation, freshman year at Roy's.

KEN FOULKS

All the far-out people and most especially the Senior Retreat, Mrs. Tennyson's class.

Yearbook 3; Photography 4; Bowling 4.

MICHELLE FRANCHI

I'll never forget our Frosh year, rubber bands, English class, the fun I had with "our gang," songleading camp, and mostly our Senior retreat which helped me realize the strength of friendship.

C.S.F. 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Squad 2, 4; Track 3; Basketball 3, 4; A.S.B. treasurer.

PAM FRANK

Coming of graduation, Prom '75, and Drama '74-'75.

Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Drama Club 2, 3, 4; Yearbook 3; Pep Squad 2.

MIKE GARRETT

M.D. 20-20, Jose Cuervo, and Porras' party.

Golf 2, 3.

PAULA GERBER

Cardinal's party, Soph. year. Br. Denis' Religion class, Mr. Spinner's English class, and Richard Brautigan.

MARY GLEESON

Cardinal's visit, notes in Biology and B.T. Express.

ARMANDO GOMEZ

Bombing Junior float with lemons, Homecoming 75-76, and working on my movie.

Drama Club 4; Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Football mgr. 2; Track 1; Rednecks 4.

BOB GSTETTENBAUER

Junior and senior float parties, and winning the league championship in track in 1975.

C.S.F. 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 3, 4; Vice-pres. 2, Rednecks 4.

MAUREEN HARTMAN

Pep squad, never coming to school in uniform, being on Murphy's best side, getting demerits and graduation.

Pep Club 2, 3; Pep Squad 3.

ARLEEN HAWKINS

Getting demerits, graduation, Home Ec, Junior prom, and Frosh year at Roy's.

CRAIG HELD

Fillmore game '75, Junior float parties, Senior retreat, and New Year's '76.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Rednecks 4.

SUSAN HOFFMAN

Initiation in my Freshman year, Junior year retreat with Fr. Ehler, the Senior retreat and everything we did there, and Eng. Lit. with Mrs. Tennyson.

Chorus 1, 2; C.S.F. 2, 3, 4.

JEAN HUGHES

I'll always remember our squirrely Frosh class, the great times with "our gang," songleading and camp, the unforgettable senior retreat, and the many wonderful friendships that have developed here.

C.S.F. 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Squad 4; Drama Club 2, 3, v.p. 4.

JANE HULL

Water balloon fights during Sports Day, my Freshman year, Soph. Prom, Pep Squad, Drama, Senior retreat, and friends.

Chorus 1; C.S.F. 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Squad 4; Folk Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Band 1, 2.

ANNE KACIC

My Sophomore year and watching the purple rabbits behind 404.

Chorus 1; C.S.F. 3; Pep Club 1, 2, 3.

JANE KAHL

Party for Cardinal Manning, picnics at lunch, Home Ec. class, and getting an art award.

MARK KEATING

The Senior retreat and "Black Mountain."

Spanish Club 2, 3; C.S.F. 2, 3, 4; Drama Club

2, 3, 4, sec. 3; Yearbook 3; Folk Choir 2; Football 1; Track 1; Pres. 1, 3; Treas. 4.

PAUL KERN

Algebra II with Fr. Richard, Freshman initiation, and pole vaulting 8½'.

C.S.F. 3; Yearbook 4; Pep Band 1, 2; Track 2, 3, 4.

GREG KNAPP

My good friend Jose, my Les Paul, good old Tele, that ole Black Mountain, little Pontelucci, and Mrs. Tennyson.

Football 1, 2; Baseball 2; Track 1; Basketball 1, 2.

CHRIS KOHR

Winning the Fillmore game, watching very closely at the pep rallies, Tri-Valley league champs in track, the Prom and eating lunch.

Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Baseball 4; Rednecks 4.

WANABELLE LAWRENCE

Mr. Burns' geometry class, making plans for Senior retreat, eating Father's candy and giggling at Mrs. Traverse.

C.S.F. 3.

TOM LETUS

Fr. Richard's algebra class, Spanish II, haircuts, Pizza Palace and the beach.

Bowling 3, 4; Track 1, 2.

CAMILLA LLOYD-BUTLER

Senior princess, J.V. songleader and the junior and senior float parties.

C.S.F. 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Drama Club 3, 4; Yearbook 4; Pep Squad 2; Pep Band 1, 2.

DIANE LONG

Being captain of the Pep Squad, going to C.I.F. in basketball, Homecoming float, Senior retreat, and winning the Spirit Broom all of the football season.

C.S.F. 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 2, 3, 4; Yearbook 3; Pep Squad 3, 4; Track 2, 3, statistician 3; Basketball statistician 2.

JACK MANS

Doing the play "Flowers for Algernon," passing algebra II with Fr. "You follow?".

C.S.F. 2, 3; Drama Club 2, 3, 4, pres. 4.

CHRIS MARTEL

Graduation, "Saturday Night" and "Night Stalking."

Track 2.

MAUREEN McCARTHY

My fondest memories are Marc, the friends I made, freshman P.E., and the Pump Room.

TIM McCARTHY

Being able to get through high school, senior parties, graduation, M.D. 20-20, and meeting the people I didn't know.

Football 1; Track 4; Golf 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1.

KAREN MEGOWAN

The water balloon fight on Sports Day, J.M., Mrs. Farrell's P.E. class, and Only An Orphan Girl.

Chorus 1; C.S.F. 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Drama Club 2, 3, 4; Yearbook 2, 3, 4; Folk Choir 1, 2, 3, 4.

DAVE MELLRING

Freshman basketball, the parties, senior class retreat, and the cool J's.

Golf 1; Basketball 1, 2.

PATTY MERCER

Fr. Richard's Algebra II class, football games, the city bus with Chris Carrier and Judy Maxwell and the Senior retreat.

C.S.F. 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 4; Drama Club 4; Yearbook 2, 3.

CHUCK MOUWEN

Baseball during Jr. year and float parties.

Football 1; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Golf 4.

DAN NAVARRO

Going to the junior prom and then going to San Diego for breakfast, being pulled up to the varsity basketball team for C.I.F., getting 5 demerits for ditching school to bring our winning float to Ventura and New Year's Eve '76.

Yearbook 3, 4; Track 2; Basketball 3, 4; President 4; Boys' State 3.

ALEX NESBITT

Going to Arizona, Punch Bowl, Ferndale Ranch, moving into town, and horseback riding on the beach.

SYLVIA OCEQUEDA

Going on the retreat with the Youth Group this year.

Folk Choir 3, 4; Bowling 3, 4.

KATHI ORDNER

Senior retreat.

KATHY PACHECO

Freshman initiation, Oxnard parties, and singing with the Christmas Carolers.

GREG PARRONE

I can't remember!

C.S.F. 2, 4; Yearbook 4; Track 2, 4; Cross-Country 1, 2, 4.

CRAIG PAULEY

Definitely — the senior retreat.

C.S.F. 2, 3, 4; Yearbook 4; Bowling 4; Vice-pres. 4.

ROSS PHILLIPS

Junior float parties, getting out half day-every day, and surfing on a 10 ft. day at Solimar Reef.

KATHY PIERCE

The summers, kidnappings, eggings, and float parties, dissecting in biol-

ogy, Hawaii and a strange assortment of friends . . . JFMAMJJASOND.
C.S.F. 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Drama Club 2, 3; Yearbook 2, 3; J.V. Football statistician.

TINA PILLADO
Cheerleading, float parties, class offices, Pizza Palace and the Senior retreat.
Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Pep Squad 3; Treasurer 1, 2; A.S.B. Vice-pres.

MIKE PORRAS
My first day at St. Bonaventure.
Pep Club 4; Drama Club 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 4; Track 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Rednecks 4.

RON RAMIREZ
My fondest memory is winning the championship in J.V. baseball.
Football 2, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Track 4; Rednecks 4.

DENISE REARDON
My fondest memories are the Senior retreat, Prom '74, T.S., all of the beautiful friends I made and all the crazy things that happened on our little weekend night adventures.
C.S.F. 3, Pres. 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Yearbook 3, 4; Sec. 2; Treas. 3; Football stat. 3, 4; Baseball stat. 3, 4.

PAM REYNOLDS
Prom '74, demerits, and graduation.
C.S.F. 3, 4; Pep Club 2; Drama Club 1, 2.

JANINE ROBERTSON
Jr. Prom, Homecoming '74, '75, Pretty Darn Cute, parties and 5/4.
C.S.F. 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 3; Baseball stats. 3; Football stats. 4.

MARY ROONEY
Party for the Cardinal, graduation and just being weird.

CATHY SCHNEITER
Frosh P.E., C.I.F. volleyball, Fr. Richard's Algebra II, lunch parties and Senior retreat.
Chorus 1; C.S.F. 2, 4; Pep Club 4; Drama Club 4; Volleyball 2, 3, 4; Softball 1.

LISE SCHRAMM
J.V. cheerleading, Kauai '74, being late, K. Pier and planning our travels.
Pep Club 1, 2, 3; Pep Squad 2.

DEAN SENGBUSCH
Prom, Mr. Murphy's office, J.V. football and graduation.
Football 1, 2; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 3.

MELINDA SLIGER
Homecoming, float parties, C.I.F. volleyball and Senior retreat.
Pep Club 1, 2, pres. 4; Volleyball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4.

TOM SLIGER
Float parties, prom, parties, and when Br. Hilarion became the Big Mac.
Drama Club 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 3, 4; Rednecks 4.

SANDIE SPENCER
Frosh homecoming, float parties, Bonnie Beach, cheer camp, friends and the Senior retreat.
Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Squad 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 2; Vice-pres. 3; Football stats. 1, 3.

MARILYN STEVENSON
Fr. Richard, Sr. Adeleine, lunch parties and Senior year.
C.S.F. 4; Pep 4; Drama 4.

KIM STRICKLEY
Jr. Homecoming, Main St. on Fri. nights.
Pep Club 1; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 4.

LIAM THORPE
Jr. English class, Frosh initiation, friends and the Senior retreat.
Drama Club 4; Football 1, 2, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-pres. 1.

LE ANN TINGSTROM
Lunch parties, Mrs. Navarro's gym classes, Fr. Richard's algebra II, Pep squad, my friends and the Senior retreat.
C.S.F. 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Squad 3.

MELANIE TRAVERSE
Spanish II with Teresa, basketball, Hilarious Homicides, Mr. Spinner's encyclopedia, P.E. and working in the library.
C.S.F. 4; Pep Club 4; Drama Club 4; Basketball 3, 4.

RUTH VOMUND
Being kidnapped, Most Improved in track, getting to know people and being Homecoming Queen.
Track 3, 4.

JENNIFER WALTON
Bookkeeping, Algebra II with Fr. Richard, games, the Senior retreat and a certain "one-two."
C.S.F. 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Drama Club 4.

GEORGE WILLIAMS
Junior and Senior float parties.
Drama Club 4; Bowling 3; Football 3, 4; Golf 3.

TERESA WOODYARD
Spanish II with Melanie, C.I.F. volleyball, P.E. shower throwing, Senior retreat, lunch parties and Mr. Spinner's encyclopedia.
Chorus 1; C.S.F. 3, 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Drama Club 4; Folk Choir 2; Volleyball 2, 3, 4; Sec. 4.

ear Michelle, I have really enjoyed this year as being my first. Comming here I was sort of
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right. Remember all the lovely things you have found in life and share them with
thers.
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hen it does not shine.
elieve in Love,
hen there is hate.
elieve in God,
hen he is silent.
Remember this always
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Dear Michelle,
It has been really great knowing you. I only hope the years kept us close and bring us happiness.
Love
Ed Mott

Life at school can get to be routine. You go to school, wait around until homeroom, go to homeroom, go to classes, have a break, return to class, have lunch, go to more classes, leave school. What breaks up this routine?

ACTIVITIES.

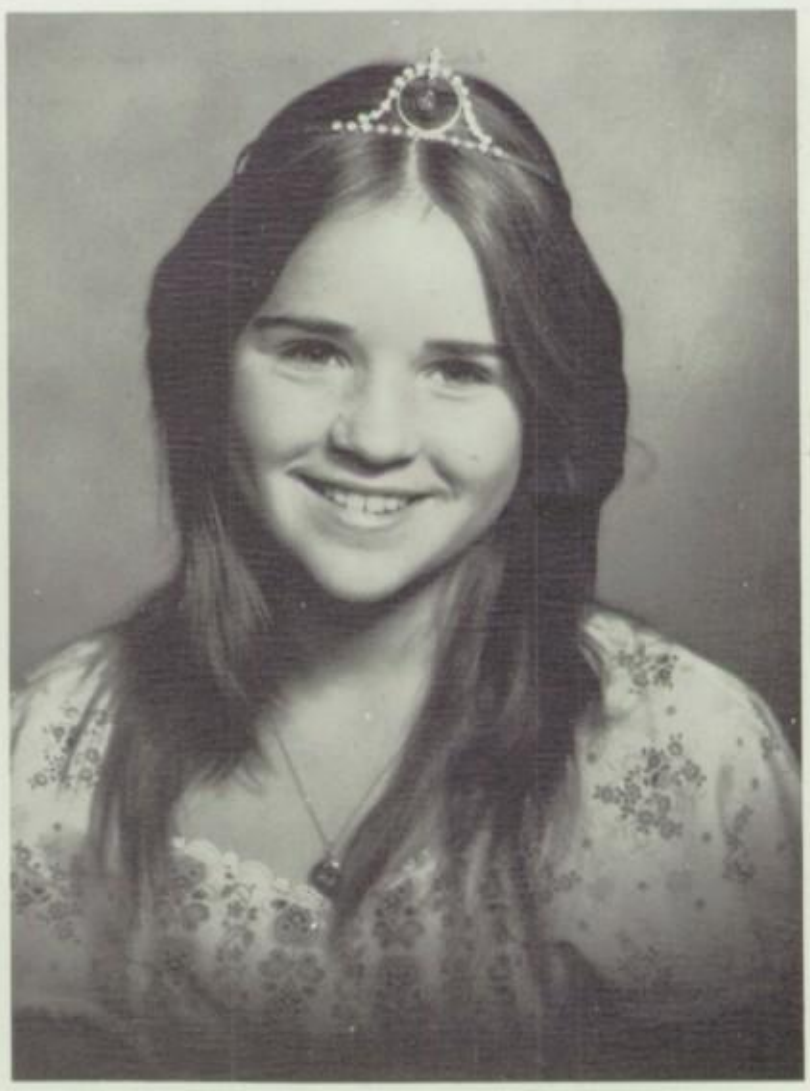
An activity can be something as fun as a school dance, as meaningful as the senior retreat, as time-consuming as the yearbook staff. In short, activities put life into a school, and each student has the freedom to get as much out of them as he can.

Homecoming Queen
Ruth Vomund

Senior Princess
Camilla Lloyd-Butler

Junior Princess
Jeanne Korn

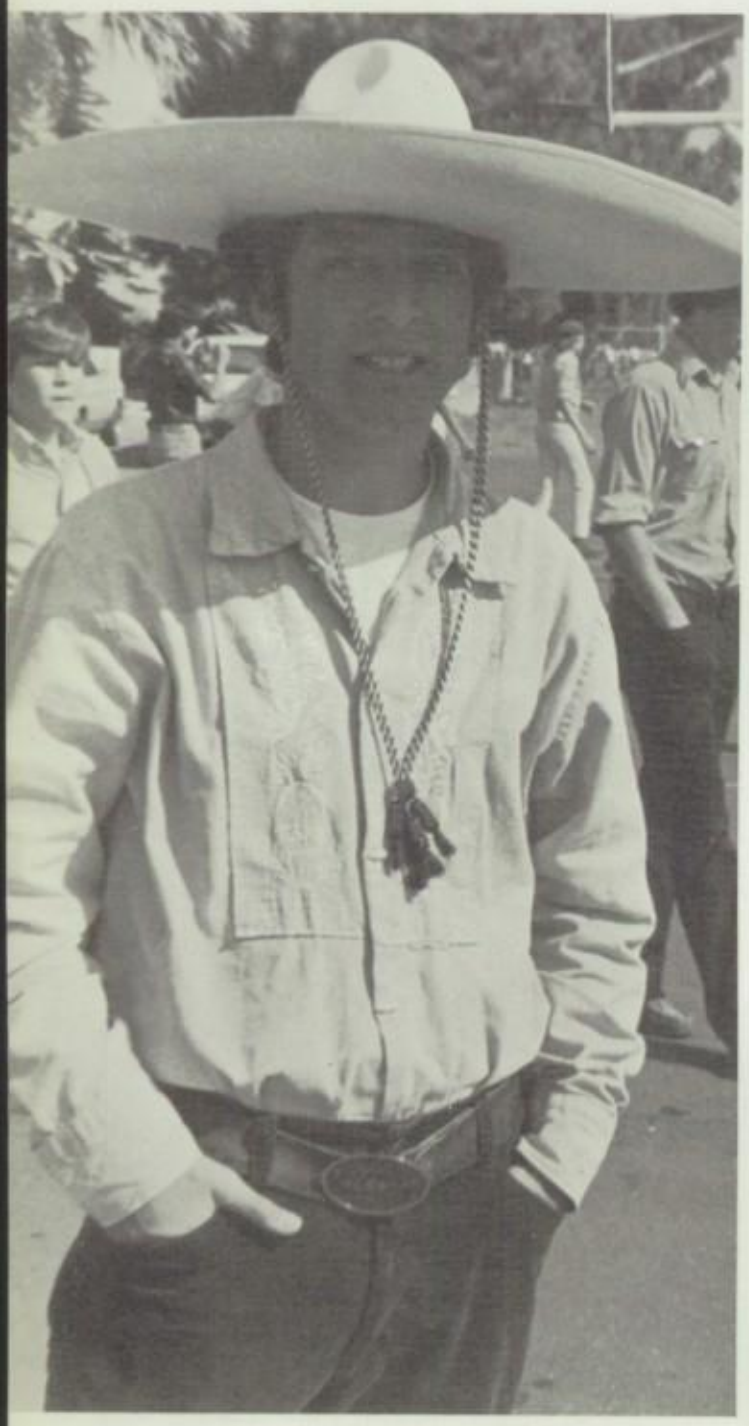
Sophomore Princess
Lauren Colitti

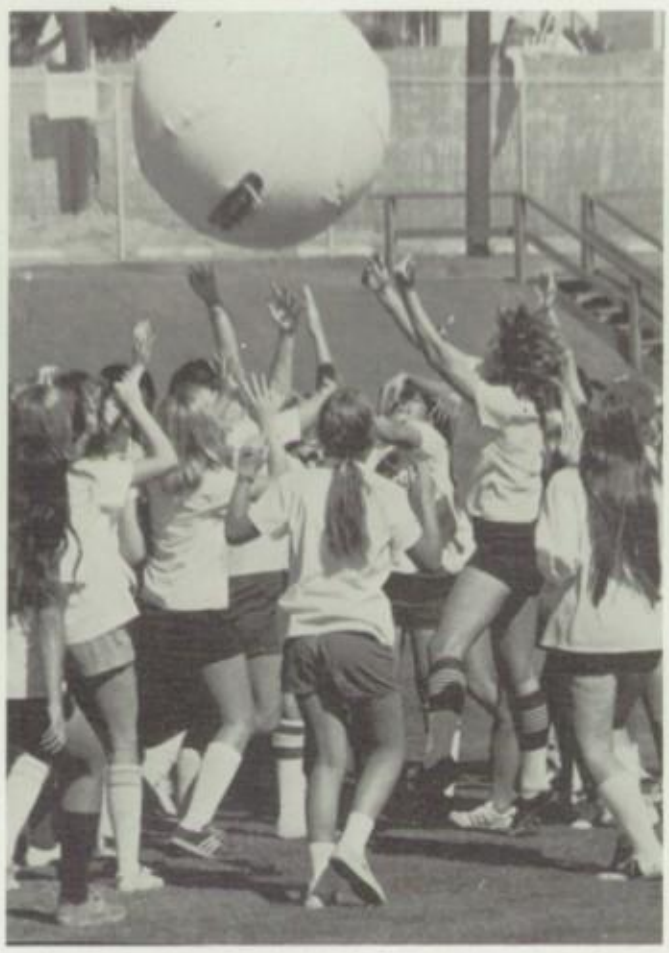


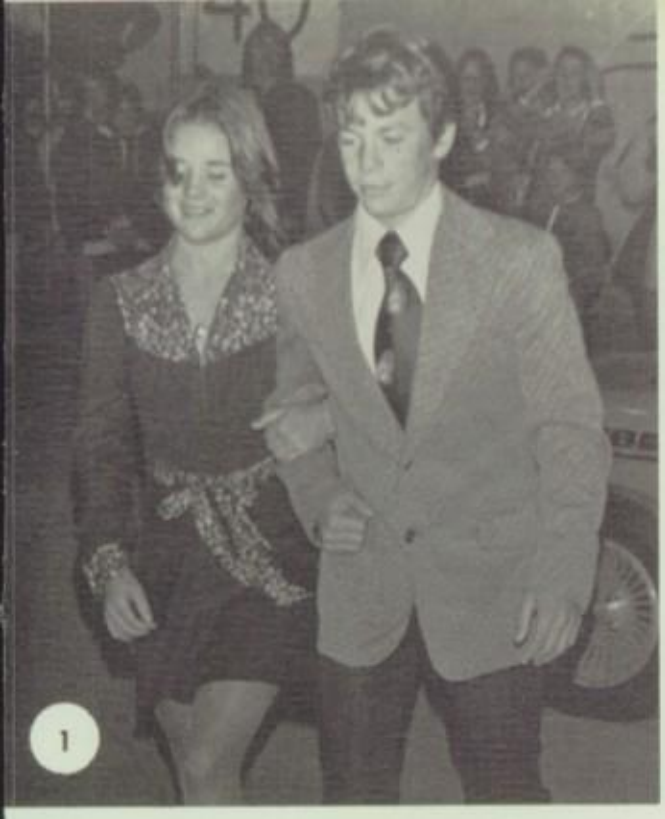
Freshman Princess
Donna Secor

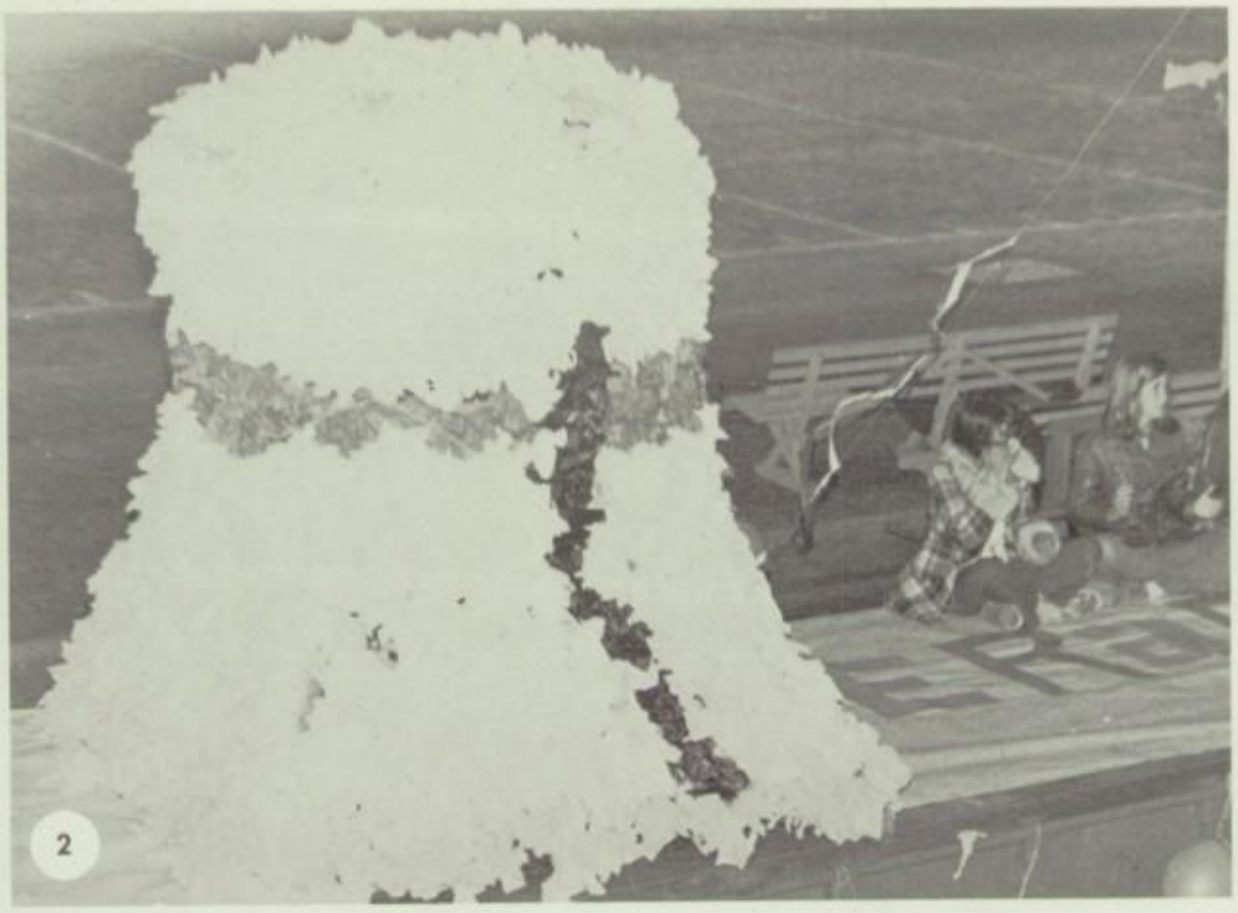
What was Homecoming this year? Homecoming was a week of hurried activity, of games and floats and dances and fun. Homecoming was the float parties, where students sometimes worked to build their floats. It was the intramural volleyball championship, won by homeroom 303. It was the hat-button day, in which students showed their creativity and originality. It was the freshman girls beating the sophomores in bushball. And according to tradition, Homecoming was

RAIN which dampened floats and forced the cancellation of the powderpuff football game . . .



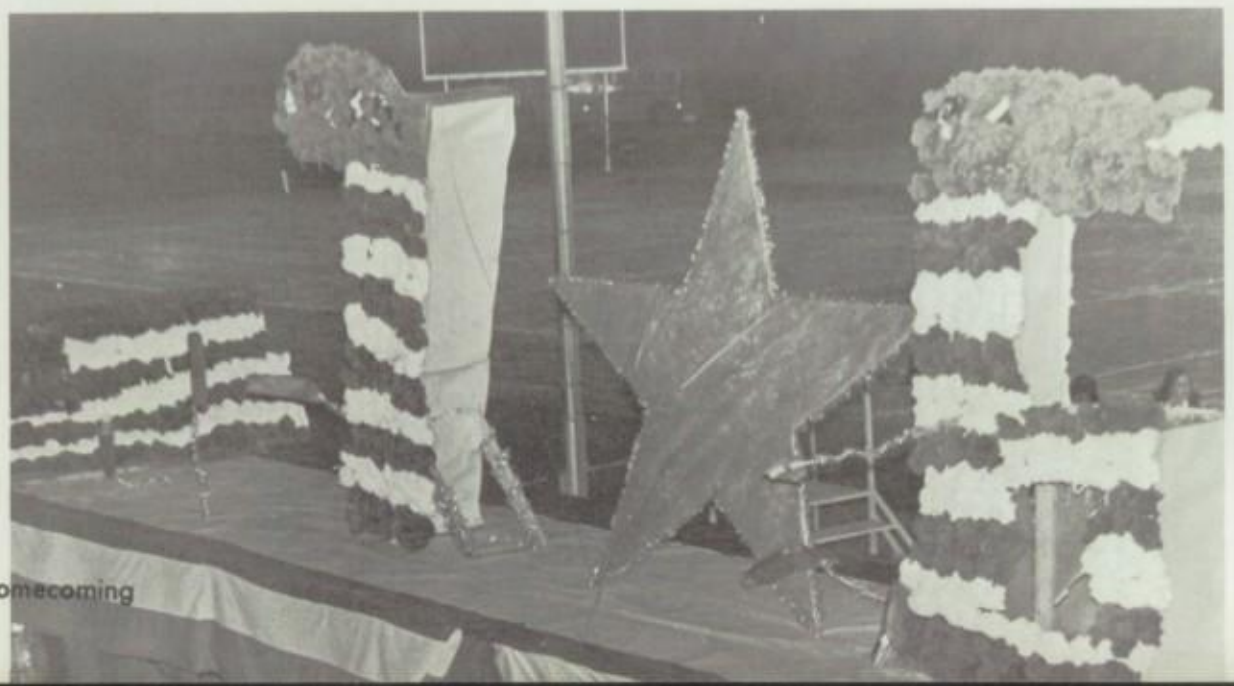






1. Freshman princess, Donna Secor, is escorted by Kevin McAtee. 2. The freshman float shows the results of spirit and hard work. 3. Sophomore princess, Lauren Colitti, is escorted by Peter Hughes. 4. Tina Pllado and Kristi Spinner await the Homecoming Court. 5. The Sophomores row their float around the track. 6. Last year's queen, Anna Ramirez, takes her final bow.

Homecoming was rushing to finish **FLOATS** at the last minute. It was floats arriving at the school on time . . . then falling apart on the way to the stadium. It was the wind — strong and cold. It was the crowning of the homecoming queen and court. It was the seniors' "Spirit of 76" float winning first place. It was an unknown motorcyclist creating a dust storm as he rode around the track. It was the Seraphs beating Moorpark. And, to top it off, it was the Homecoming Dance.

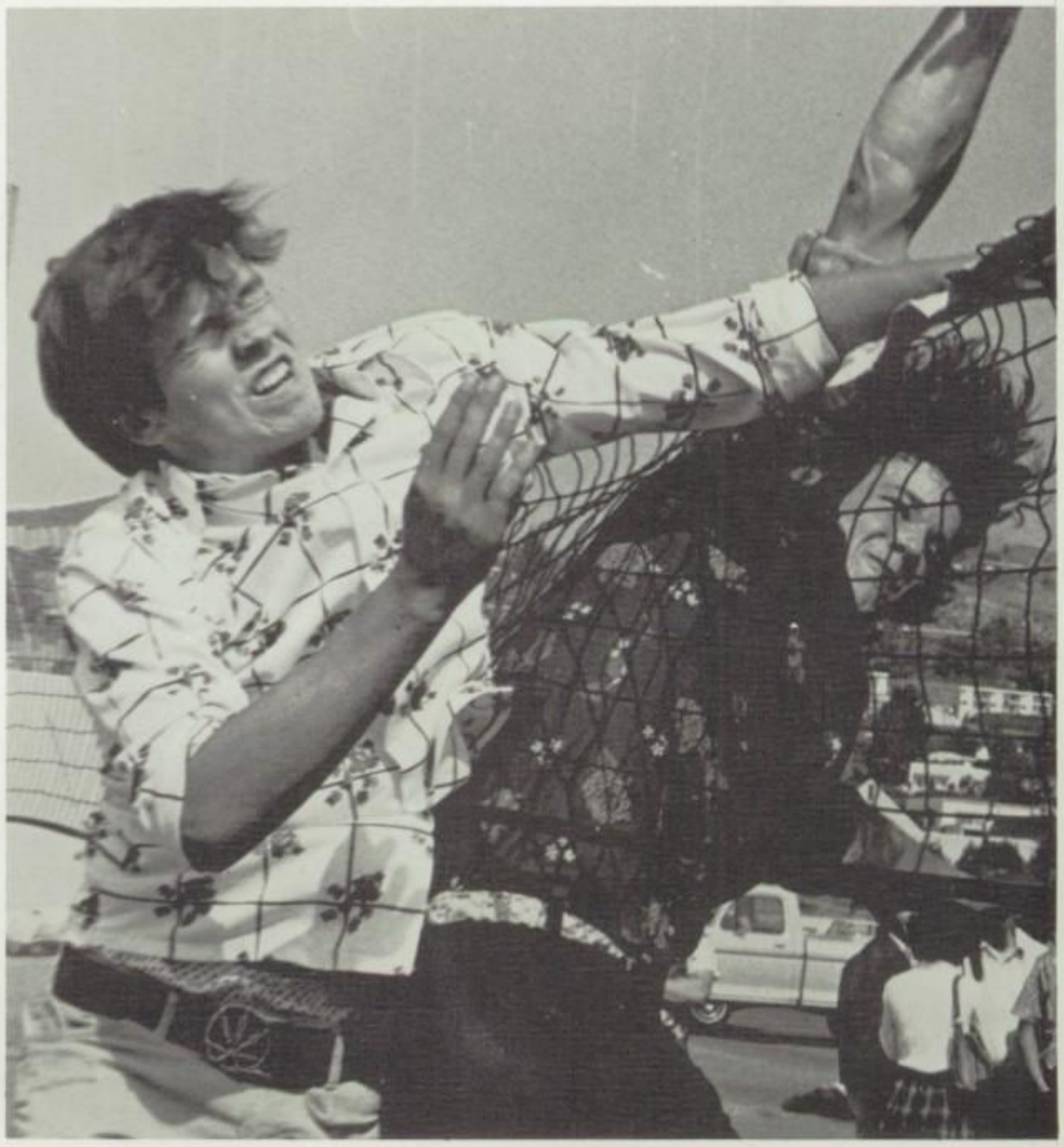


1. Homecoming Court: Lauren Colitti, Peter Hughes, Camilla Lloyd-Butler, Craig Pauley, Danny Navarro, Queen Ruth Vomund, Rob O'Neil, Anna Ramirez, Anthony Thurman, Jean Korn, Kevin McAtee, Donna Secor. 2. Sophomore princess, Lauren Colitti, dances to the music of Manitoba. 3. Ruth and her date set the mood for the Queen's dance. 4. Chris and the student body enjoy the Homecoming Dance.

MUD abounded at the Freshman Initiation, as freshmen would probably rather forget. The day started off with the initiates changing into appropriate costumes — dresses for the guys and burlap sacks for the girls. After lunch, freshmen were marched up to the football field to meet the seniors in a tug of war, complete with a mudhole in the center. Things didn't go very well at first, with the rope breaking and the competitors ending up more bruised than muddy. But the rope eventually held, and freshmen were dragged into the mud. After the tug of war, all freshmen were marched through the mud, followed by a shower in the sprinklers. They were then officially welcomed into the school with refreshments provided by the Senior Class.

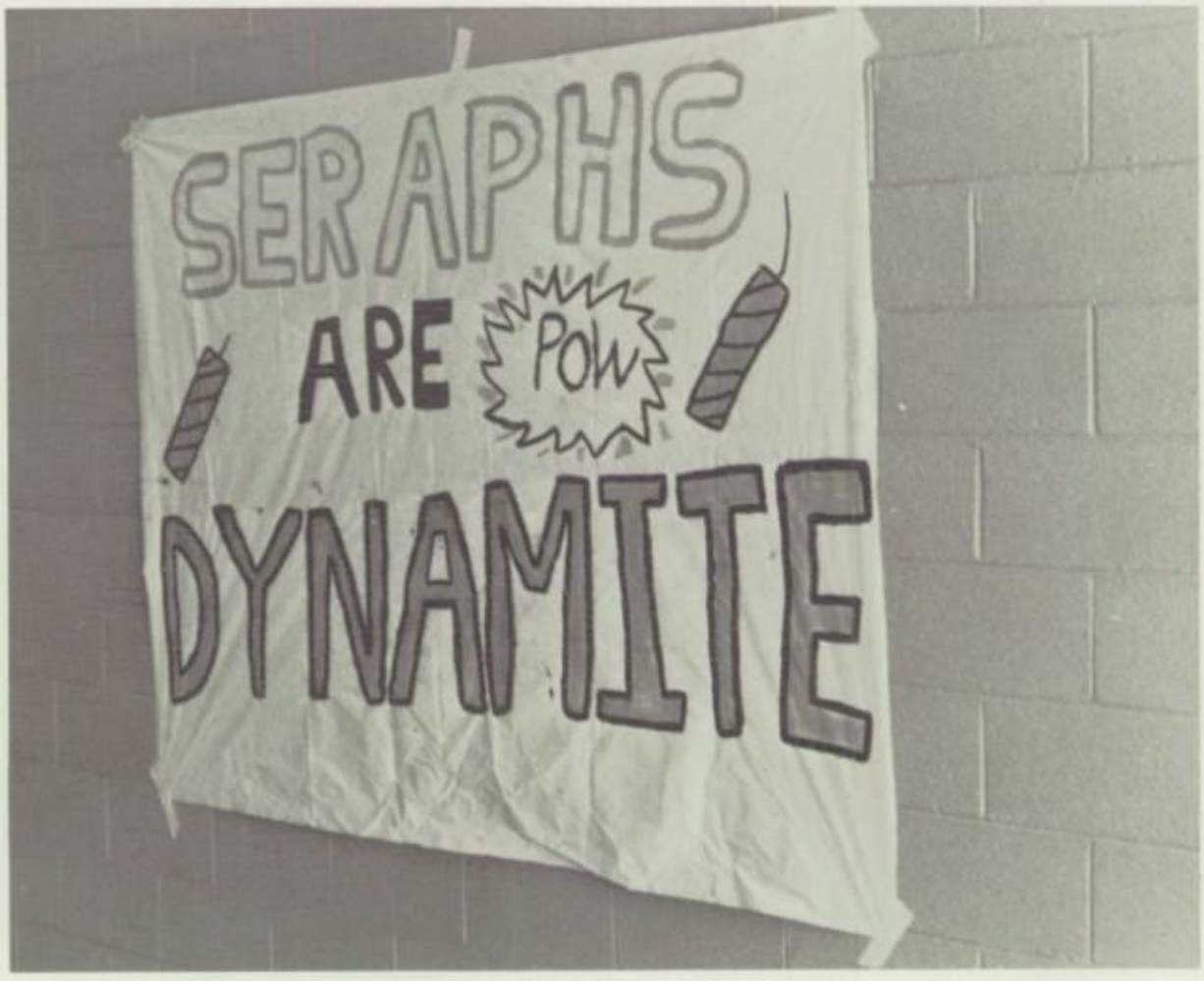
1. Freshman boys make their way through the muddy waters. 2. Mr. Hamlin takes part in supervising the freshman tug of war. 3. Freshman boys model some of the latest fashions around campus. 4. Freshmen cool off with popsicles and punch after getting soaked. 5. Senior boys look on sympathetically as the girls get their dunking. 6. Charlie and John show off their shapely knees. 7. That's Tara Cash telling Annette how she feels about her outfit. 8. Richard Lund tries to bargain for time with Roger. 9. "Hail to thee, our Alma Mater . . . " is hard to sing with mud-soaked clothes.

POW! The lunchtime intramural volleyball games were not stylish but they were exciting. Homeroom fought homeroom until there were only two teams without a loss — senior-junior champ 303 and sophomore-freshman champ 504. The two teams played the final match on Tuesday of Homecoming Week. Tension built up, but the finale proved to be an anticlimax as the Seniors slightly slaughtered a helpless sophomore team.



First row (left to right): Patty Mercer, Theresa Woodyard, Cathy Schneiter, Jennifer Walton, Sandi Spencer, Denise Reardon, Melinda Sliger, Jane Hull, Paula Barrett. 2nd row: Janee Clark, Sandy Woodyard, Melanie Traverse, Marilyn Stevenson, Erin Held, Nancy Hughes, Mary Derse, Michelle Reardon, Cynthia Barrett. 3rd row: Michelle Spencer, Gretchen Perrett, Regina Van Gundy, Leanne Tingstrom, Diane Vela, Annette Pozos, Michelle Weisshaar, Maria Quijada. 4th row: Mrs. Rigali (moderator), Cathy Pauley, Siobhan Geary, Jeanine Faria, Dawn Long, Kelly Curtis, Megan Thorpe, Connie Bailey. 5th row: Jean Hughes, Michelle Franchi, Jacquelina Rodriguez, Denise Parrish, Barbara Collins, Judy Ramirez, Margaret Ellis, Theresa Thurman. 6th row: Nancy Romney, Rikki Connell, Jeanne Romo, Barbara Stevenson, Jody Anguiano, Marie Thomas, Tresa Mason, Patti Klock, Christine Yzaguirre. 7th row: Nina Joe, Molly Shanahan, Paula Cummings, Diane Long.

Melinda Sliger performs her favorite duty as Pep Club President.



The Varsity **PEP** Squad put on bright skits at pep rallies, cheered the team on to victory, and represented the school in the County Parade. Varsity cheerleaders are (pictured upper left, top to bottom): Mary Derse, Jane Hull, Bridget Boland, Mary Ellen Spencer, Paula Barrett (mascot). Songleaders are (pictured, bottom right, left to right): Cynthia Barrett, Jean Hughes, Michelle Franchi, Darcy Long (mascot), Susan Colborn, Diane Long (head), Sandi Spencer.

The Junior Varsity Cheerleaders led yells at the rallies, with great

ENTHUSIASM.

They cheered at junior varsity games and also participated at the county parade. Pictured above (left to right) are: Dawn Long, Patti Klock, Christine Yzaguirre (head) Kelly Curtis, Diane Colborn, Jody Anguiano.

Kriskins, birds' nests value shields, ravens, the Waltons, a trust walk, sparrows, the **GODFATHER PART 3,** "Peace be with you," and chicken hawks were all part of the Senior Retreat. The seniors who went on the retreat found it not only fun but also rewarding. There was plenty of time for staying up late or playing a volleyball game or just lying around doing nothing; there was also plenty of time to learn — about your classmates, about yourself, about God. Before the retreat began, nobody knew what he was going to get for his $29.00. After the retreat, everyone was glad he paid it.

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1. Peter Davis and the other retreatgoers find a new spirit of peace. 2. Jane prepares a gift (mess?) for her kriskin. 3. Retreat means talking and sharing with each other. 4. "Peace be with you." 5. Denise and Sandy await their partners for the trust walk. 6. Between sessions, students relax (?) with a friendly volleyball game. 7. Craig: Just hanging around. 8. Students discover each other in discussion groups. 9. Groups of students go outside to plan skits. 10. For many students, the retreat means discovering or rediscovering Jesus. 11. Pam and Ruth take time out to relax and enjoy the beautiful surroundings.

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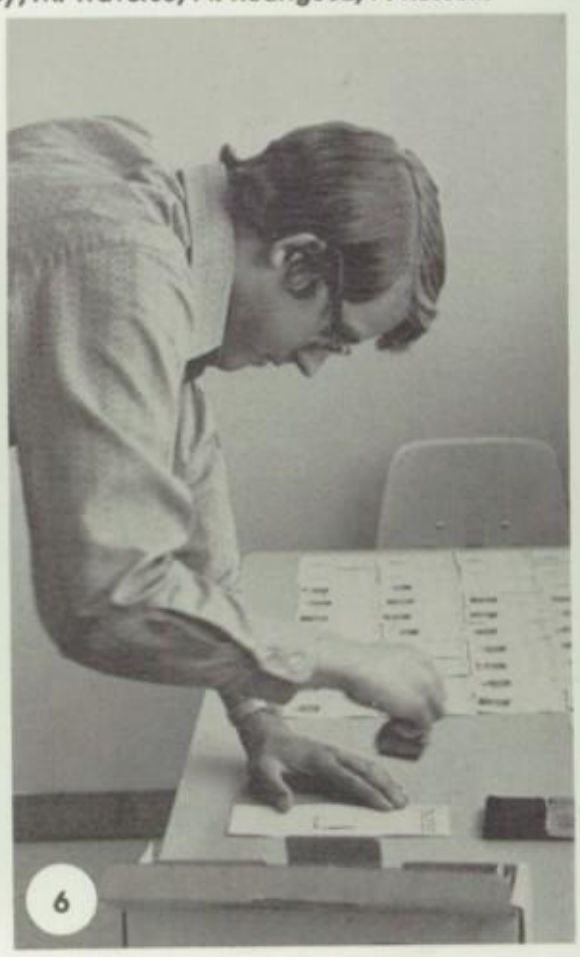
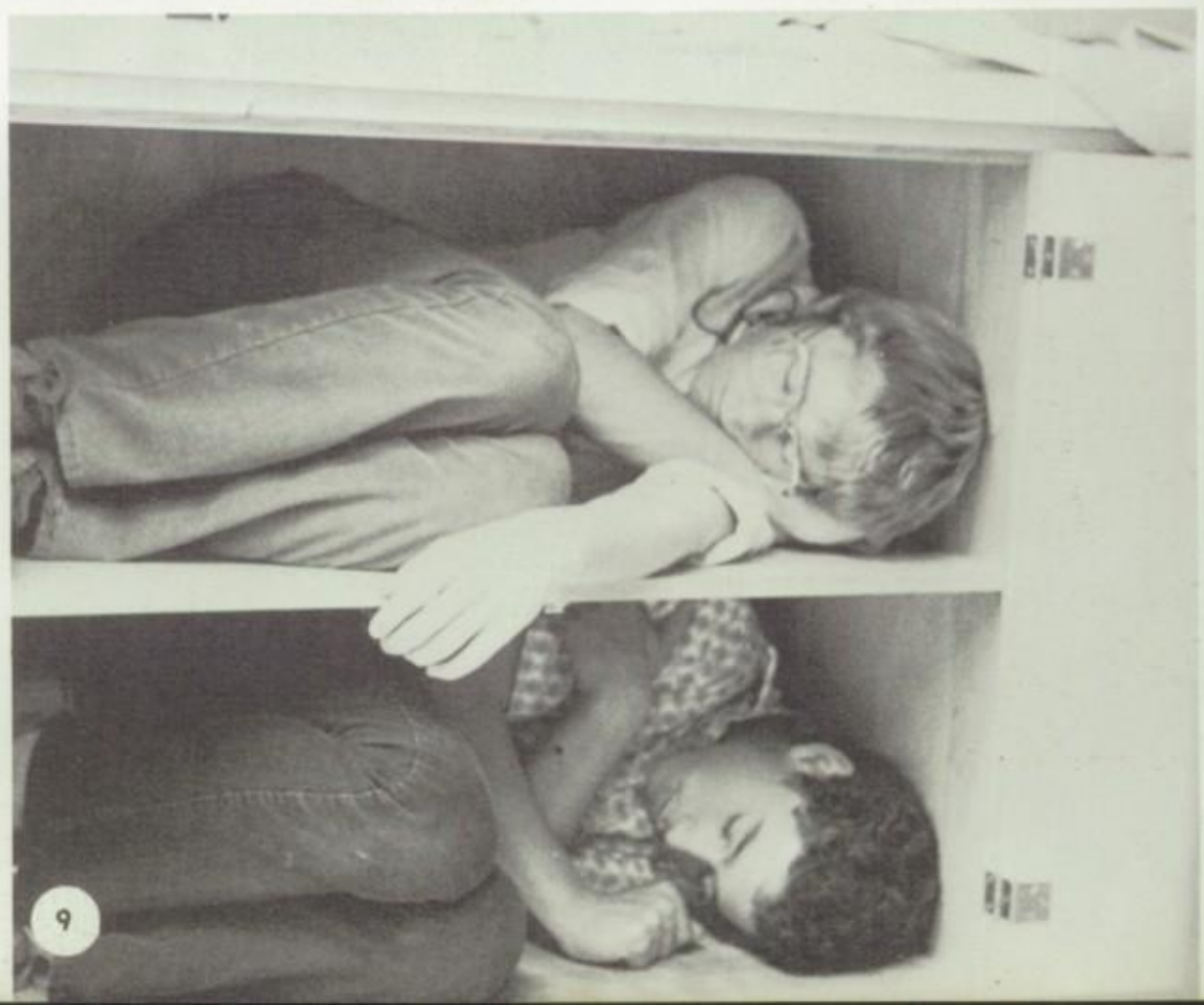
ARCHES STAFF: Front row (left to right): C. Lloyd-Butler, D. Reardon, D. Navarro, P. Cummings, G. Bordagaray, N. Romney. 2nd row: M. Quijada, D. DeGraff, K. Tallman, T. Mason, F. Hicks, L. Parrone, K. Russell. 3rd row: M. Jack, K. Foulks, M. Kern. A. Johnson, D. Weissbaar, K. Megowan, J. Haggard. 4th row: P. Kern, B. Clifford, P. Meyers, J. Faria, C. Pauley, M. Traverse, N. Rodriguez, P. Russell.



A person wandering into room 504 after school is likely to find members of the Arches staff at work. Whether rushing to meet deadlines or sitting around wondering what to do next, Arches staff members rarely get a moment's peace. Staff members are always coming up with problems for Miss Glatt to solve. The biggest problem is deadlines. It isn't easy to put together eighty pages in a few weeks. The layouts have to be planned, pictures developed, copy and captions written, pictures cropped, quad-packs drawn up and typed, pictures stamped, and a hundred other little things have to be done. In spite of the pressures of time and money, and the problems that occur when everyone wants the same picture for his own section, staff members soon learn to work together and have fun doing it. Ask any staff member what he things of the staff, and he'll say

"WONDERFUL."



1. Anne, Janet, and Mary get in a little gossip while working on the Undergraduates Section. 2. Karen grins happily as she counts the ad money. 3. Craig works busily on copy. 4. Paul says, "Now, if I put this picture here . . ." 5. Danny: "I love working on yearbook!" 6. Pat looks like he is having fun stamping pictures. 7. Robert anxiously awaits the final seconds before he can see his negatives. 8. Denise and Ms. Glatt have a good laugh at one of the pictures. 9. Two tired photographers catch a little snooze in the dark room cupboard between developing pictures. 10. "Which style did you say I was supposed to use?" 11. Denise checks Craig on his work. 12. Lynn prepares to type another quadpack.

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It all started at the beginning of the school year, when **DRAMA CLUB** members met and decided to perform two Christmas plays: "Our Miss Brooks and the Christmas Carol," and "A By-Line for St. Luke." Like any other production, these plays presented many problems. But Miss Rigali and the Drama Club members always found a way to work things out and have fun while doing it. First, auditions had to be conducted and a cast selected. Then, the daily rehearsals began; flats had to be borrowed and transported to the school. Costumes had to be found. The sets had to be painted and props found. Lighting and makeup had to be prepared. As the date of the play grew near, things became more and more hectic. Rehearsals during the last week lasted until midnight; numerous trips to the Pizza Palace were made to feed cast members. Miss Rigali locked her keys in her car while buying some paint. Despite these and many other problems, the play was performed on schedule, and it turned out well.

DRAMA CLUB: Front row (l. to r.): L. Bacon, I. DeAnda, J. Hughes, M. Franchi, M. Quijada, K. Knox, P. Mercer, T. Mason, K. Smith. 2nd row: J. Korn, M. Weisshaar, J. Haggard, A. Johnson, J. Ramirez, S. Geary, J. Faria, M. Reardon, T. Pregent, L. Thomas. Third row: L. Colitti, F. Hicks, B. Collins, N. Romney, M. Thorpe, C. Pauley, M. Ellis, M. Traverse, C. Schneiter, J. Walton, J. Clark, J. Rodriquez. Fourth row: C. Williams, A. Gomez, M. Porras, T. Sliger, M. Michaelski, L. Ellis, S. Zeliff, J. Mans, D. Weisshaar, L. Crawford, P. Cummings, J. Naborowski, Miss Rigali, Moderator. Fifth row: G. Klement, P. Kaplan, P. Laan, G. Vaca, P. Hendrick, M. Monteil, J. Poindexter, B. Johnson, J. Hull, L. Thorpe, G. Bordagaray, M. Keating, K. Megowan, M. Kerwin.

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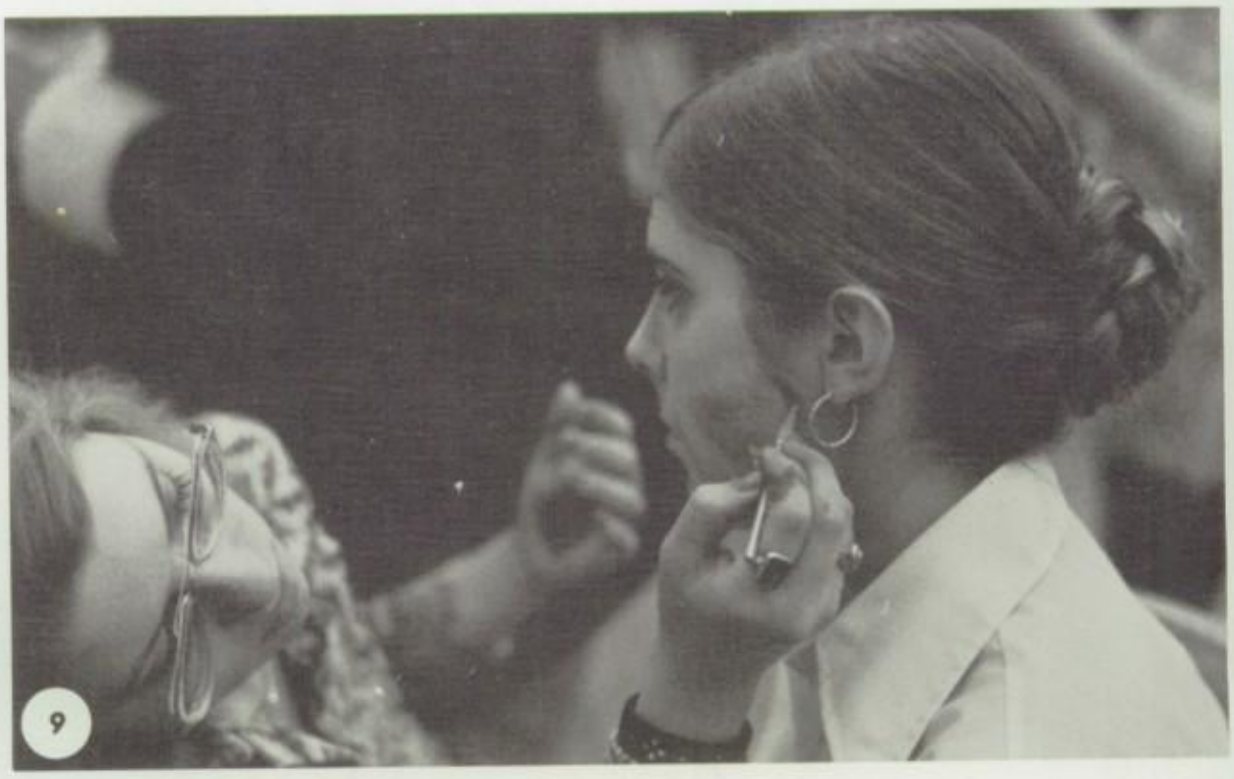

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1. Luke: "It's all perfectly clear." 2. Luke seems to disagree with Carol's point. 3. Mary Ann and Mike put on finishing touches. 4. Brian (hypnotized): "I will not spill the paint . . . I will not . . ." 5. Mrs. Hargrave gets caught under the mistletoe. 6. Jack: "Get out of here, Kellie." 7. Luke and Carol look a little worried at Mrs. Hargrave's words. 8. Siobhan Geary, Megan Thorpe and Margaret Ellis discuss the fine art of putting on lipstick. 9. Elaine Hull transforms Janet Haggard into Mrs. Hargrave. 10. Mrs. Hargrave does a little out-loud thinking while Stogie Williams decides on where to find a train that smokes.

1. Miss Brooks and Hugo get starry-eyed. 2. Germaine and Liam break character for a good laugh. 3. Ted looks with surprise upon hearing his punishment. 4. Margaret: "That's not right, it's supposed to be C#." 5. Miss Brooks: "Ah, Mr. Wadsworth, give me a break." 6. Miss Brooks proves her point to Brian. 7. "I'm the Director, we do it my way or we won't do it at all." 8. Mistletoe . . . Eh? 9. Lauren: "Let me pour the punch or else I'll punch you out." 10. The presence of the Principal doesn't scare sassy Ted. 11. Mark Keating hams up his final bow.

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Should schools have student government? Is student government a **MEAN-INGFUL** body that serves a purpose? Here at Bonaventure, we have a student council made up of school, class, and club officers, which has served this year as the student's voice in school activities and issues. This year, the S.C. planned and put on many activities ranging from dances to intramural volleyball games to homecoming activities to spirit week, to the prom. Furthermore, student council gives students a chance to come up with ideas and activities to improve school life, and also gives the members a chance to become familiar with how government works. Sure, all student ideas may not be accepted, and the council may not have a great amount of power. But the student council does have the power to make Bonaventure a better school, and has done just that.

Above: A.S.B. officers: Michelle Franchi, Paula Barrett, Tina Pillado, Jeanine Faria.

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Below: Senior Class officers: Craig Pauley, Danny Navarro, Mark Keating and Teresa Woodyard.

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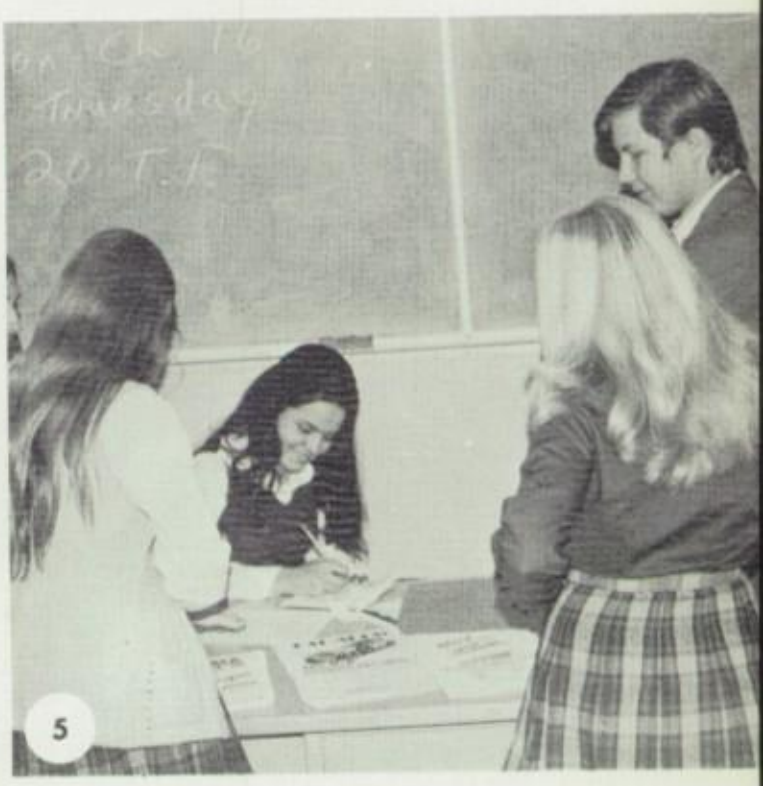
1. Jeanine passes out awards for outstanding effort and achievement. 2. Speakers at A.S.B. General Assemblies face a large audience. 3. Will the meeting come to order? 4. A.S.B. President Jeanine Faria speaks at the A.S.B. General Meeting. 5. Special student council task force discusses future plans.

Junior Class officers: Anthony Thurman, Bob Clifford, Nancy Hughes, Kelly Russell.

Sophomore Class officers: Kathy Mumford, Marie Thomas, Mary Mendoza, Jeanette Lund.



Left: Freshman Class officers: Michelle Brack, Rikki Connell, Kathy Mahoney, and Karen Smith.

Bring your date and don't be late
It's **ALL RIGHT** to dance tonight
Move around and hear the sound
Swing and groove and really move
Dance a bunch then have some punch
Swing and sway and move this way
To and fro and go go go
Clap your hands and hear the bands
Dance your best then take a rest
Move your feet and swing with the beat
Rock and hop and never stop
Twist and swing and do your thing
Dance a while then stop and smile
It's a crime not to have a good time
At the school dances.

1. At the Freshman Welcome Dance, frosh Andy Brock is welcomed by Kathy Mumford. 2. Frosh were greeted by Enchanted Souls. 3. The student body moves and grooves to the sounds of Manitoba. 4. The Masquerade Dance brought out many strange characters. 5. Watch out, Danny and Barbara, someone's watching you. 6. Hey, man, them guys are weird. 7. "Howdy podners. Gimme a burger and hold the mayo, ho ho ho." 8. Tom knows how to keep them busy. 9. "Bless you, my son." 10. This dance is too sophisticated for county boy Shanahan. 11. "This ref missed the gym and wound up in . . ."

1. Benjamin Franklin and his wife were among the attendants. 2. "Black Mountain" provided the music for the Bicentennial Boogie. 3. Stomp your feet and clap your hands; get in the groove and really move. 4. Black Mountain gets into the swing of things. 5. "What are you looking at me for?" 6. Greg Knapp "jams it on home." 7. A little slow music soothes the soul. 8. Mark adds a little beat to the boogie. 9. The gang is all decked out in their Bicentennial attire. 10. Mike Slider gets in a little foot action. 11. "The Confederates are coming!"

Michelle,
Where did you get this book that has such a fine band in it. Especially the bass player what an ego trip. I'll see you around chair and maracas and stuff so take it easy anyhow Later + double later Pat

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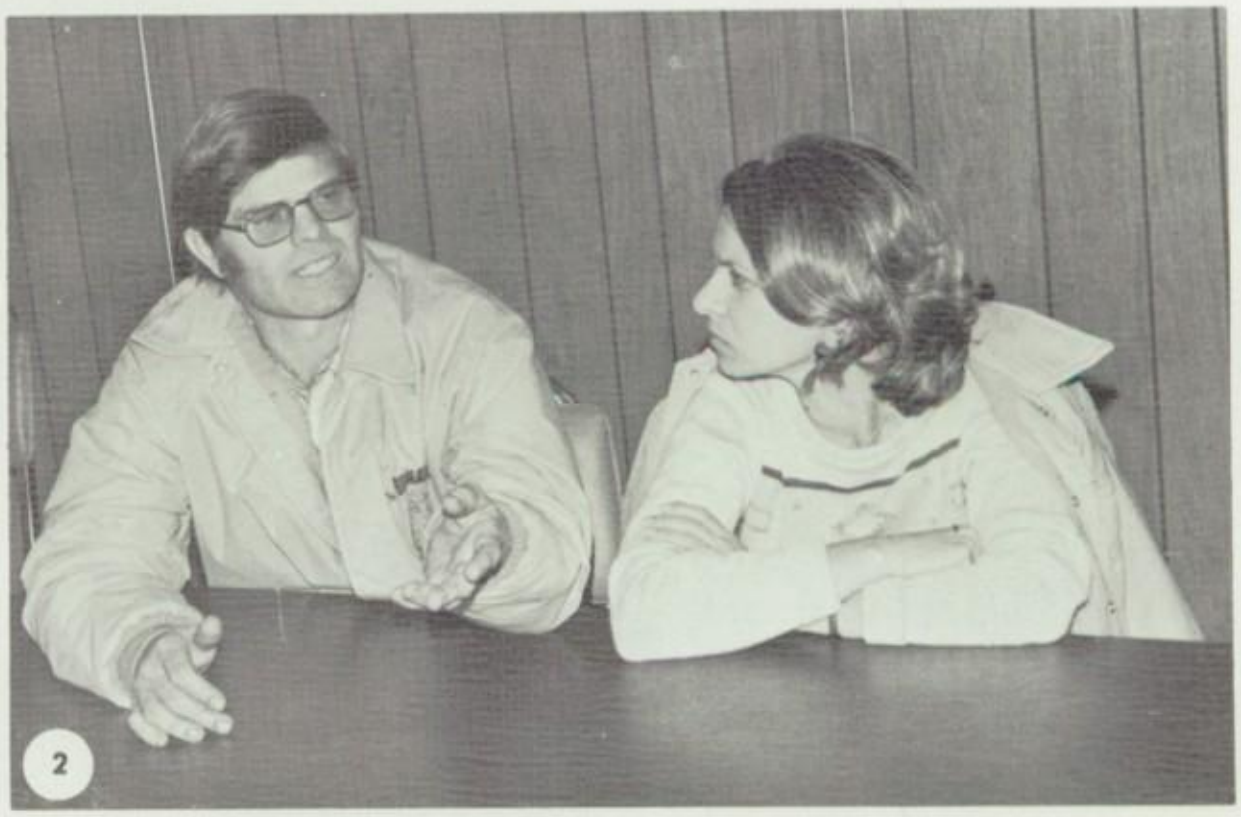
Members of the St. Bonaventure High School Parent Teacher Guild can be found cooking Bonny Burgers at the County Fair, addressing invitations for the Green and Gold Ball, setting up the Mother-Daughter Luncheon, and nailing together the food booths at the annual Fiesta.

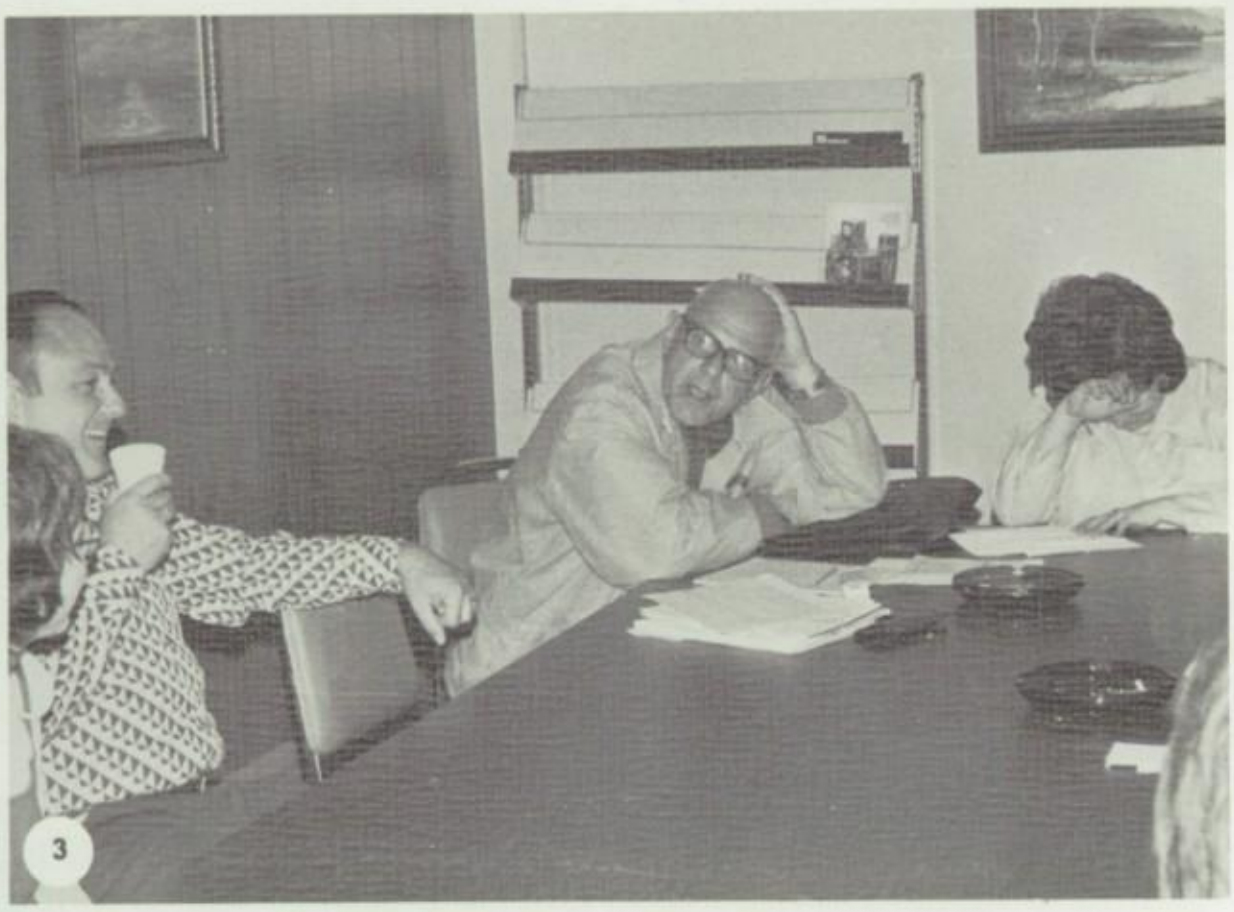
When they aren't **BUSY** working, P.T.G. members might be found at the monthly meetings, where they talk with faculty and school officials and hear speakers on subjects ranging from Ventura to Pakistan. At the monthly meetings the officers plan P.T.G. activities. The major activity of the year is the Fiesta which unites parents, teachers and students in three days of fun and games, which bring thousands of dollars to the school.

P.T.G. BOARD: Front row: Mrs. Rita Cobey, Mrs. Carol Gendron, Mrs. Mary Harrison, Mrs. Lupe Ramirez, Mrs. Mary Serfozo. Back row: Mrs. Jean Scott, Mr. James Pauley, Br. Hilarion, Mrs. Eleanor Traverse, Mr. James Lloyd-Butler.

1. Parents have more fun at school than children. 2. The Julia Childs' of St. Bonaventure — Mrs. Drace and Mrs. Marietta. 3. Mr. Lloyd-Butler thanks the guest speaker for her talk on the history of Ventura. 4. Mr. Pauley welcomes the P.T.G. members at their first meeting.

Sponsoring the winter and spring **SPORTS** award banquet, manning the snack bar at athletic functions, and holding weekly film-viewing sessions during the football season are some of the functions of the St. Bonaventure Booster Club. The club was formed to help out the Seraphs athletic program by fund-raising events and other activities. This year, the Booster Club was led by Mr. Mowen, president; Mrs. Long, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Gajefski, chairperson of awards banquet.





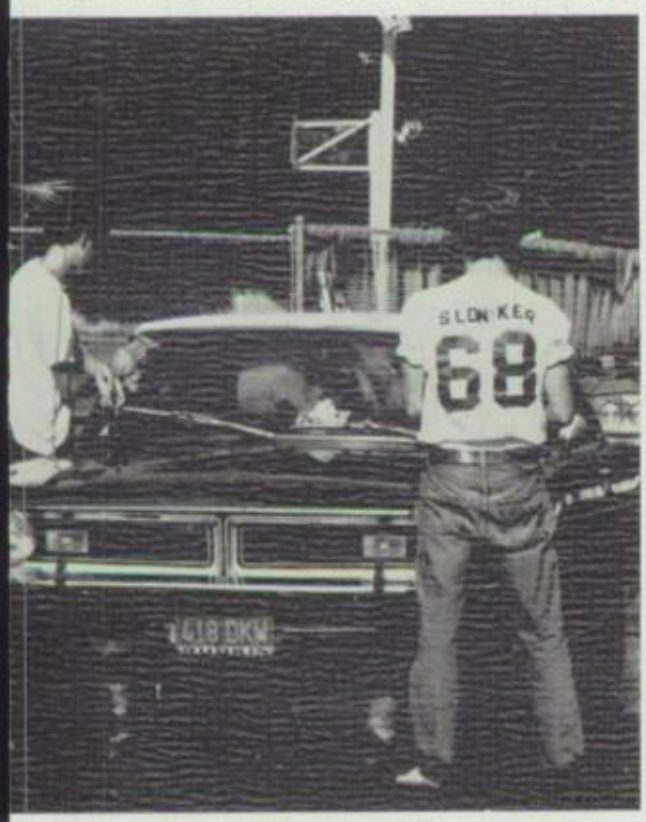
1. Mrs. Kohr listens intently to the words of Mr. Mowen. 2. "But you see, if you do it this way." 3. Mrs. Long doesn't appreciate Mr. Mowen's idea as much as Mr. Poindexter.

The California Scholarship Federation is an organization of students who gain membership by their scholastic achievement and citizenship. C.S.F. members do everything from holding car washes to going on a trip to Disneyland to participating in Knowledge Bowl. The highlight of the year's activities is the annual spring field trip. The C.S.F. motto is "Scholarship for Service" and members must be involved in some form of service to the school. Those who are members for four of the last six semesters of high school are eligible to become Sealbearers. This honor gives students life membership in the organization and makes them eligible for **SPECIAL** college scholarships.

SENIOR MEMBERS: First row (left to right): Susan Hoffman, Camilla Lloyd-Butler, Mark Keating, Marilyn Stevenson, Greg Parrone. Second row: Paula Cummings, Patty Mercer, Jennifer Walton, Craig Pauley, LeAnn Tingstrom, Cathy Schneiter. Third row: Michelle Franchi, Jean Hughes, Melanie Traverse, Teresa Woodyard, Susan Colborn, Denise Reardon.

CSF OFFICERS: Lauren Colitti, historian; Erin Held, treasurer; Denise Reardon, president; Brother Gerald, advisor; Teresa Woodyard, secretary; Patty Mercer, vice-president.

JUNIOR MEMBERS: First row (left to right): Greg Ramirez, Pat Russell, Pat Burke. Second row: Lisa Thomas, Margaret Kerwin, Desiree DeGraff, Kelly Russell, Julie Foster, Cathie Lopiano, Greg Parrone. Third row: Janet Haggard, Ann Johnson, Anne Garcia, Erin Held, Denise Uram, Terry Bozcek.



F members work hard at one of the most suc-
ssful car washes in Bonaventure's history.

SOPHOMORE MEMBERS: First row (left to right): Anthony Victoria, Brent Smith, Rich Sloniker. Second row: Valerie Angie, Anne Meyers, Lauren Colitti, Anna Reyes, Donna Lubansky, Mary Schneiter, Debbie Weisshaar. Third row: Lynn Crawford, Eugenia Traverse, Christine Martinez, Kelly Russell, Jeanette Lund, Frances Hicks.

FRESHMAN MEMBERS: First row (left to right): Gordon Klement, Ken Cluff, Peter Laan. Second row: Liz Kern, Laura Thomas, Lisa Murrillo, Jeanne Meyers, Bernadette Kerwin, Patty Reynolds, Margret Ellis, LuAnn Cofranceso. Third row: Siobhan Geary, Judy Schneiter, Julie Naborowski, Karen Smith, Cathy Pauley, Judy Ramirez, Jeanne Romo.

SPIRIT WEEK was an unusual, fun-filled week featuring everything from bananas to "Peanut Butter and Dill Pickles." The activities started on Tuesday with a wheelbarrow race. In this event a person had to push his partner around the track, and at marked stations the partners switched. It required some strength and the ability to maneuver a wheelbarrow with a full load. The Seniors easily ran away with the competition in this event. On Wednesday, Chris Valdivieso proved he had the biggest mouth by eating seven bananas in five minutes in the banana-eating contest. Because of the popularity of the banana-eating contest the arm-wrestling contest never got past the first round. A Volkswagen cram was held on Thursday. The Seniors appeared to have a disadvantage, being twice the size of the Freshmen, but they somehow managed to fit twenty-one people into the car and emerge victorious.

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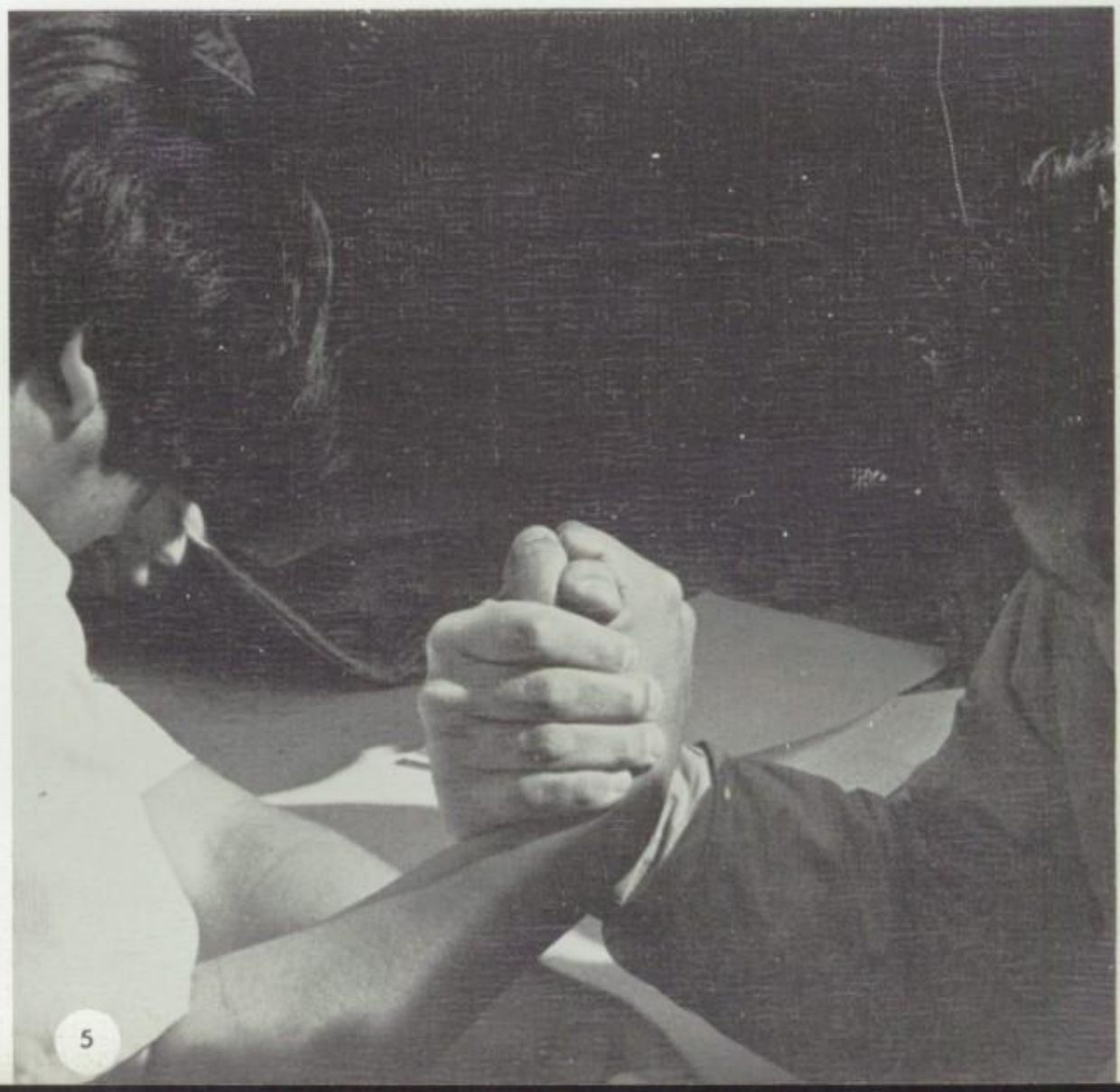
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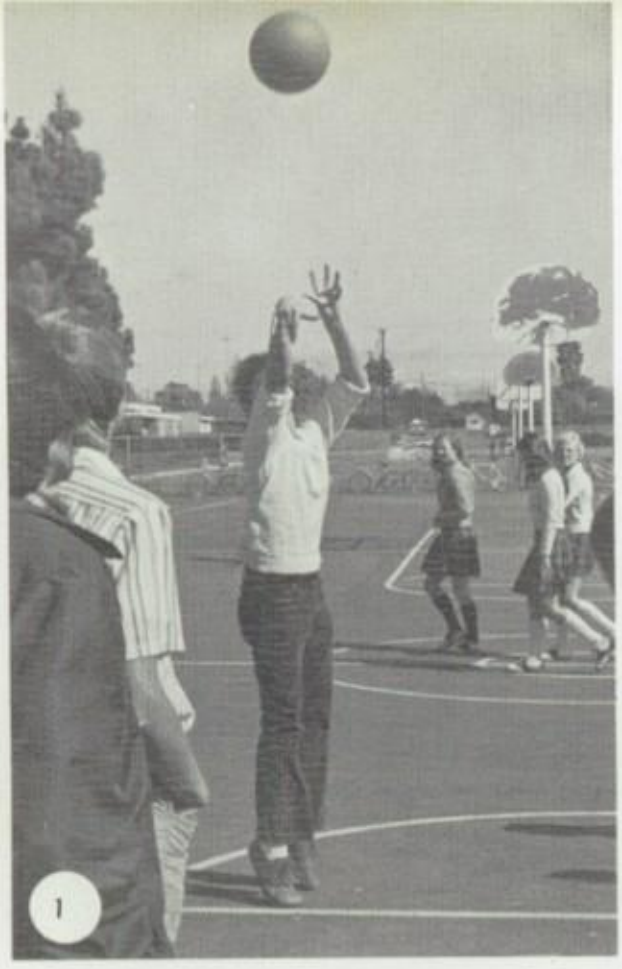
1. Seniors and Juniors take off running in the first event of Spirit Week. 2. Michelle says: "He may not look heavy but I'd like to see you push him!" 3. Nancy and Fran wonder what they've got themselves into. 4. The crowd cheers on the banana-eaters. 5. Don Abeloe gives Mike Montiel a rough time. 6. Freshmen learn that organization is important in car-cramming. 7. Come on! We've got room for one more. 8. My, Armando, what pretty legs you have! 9. Mike Bryson helps one of his classmates cram into the car. 10. Steve: "Now if I can just get this other leg in, we'll be in good shape." 11. Mark: "If you only knew what was going on in here!"



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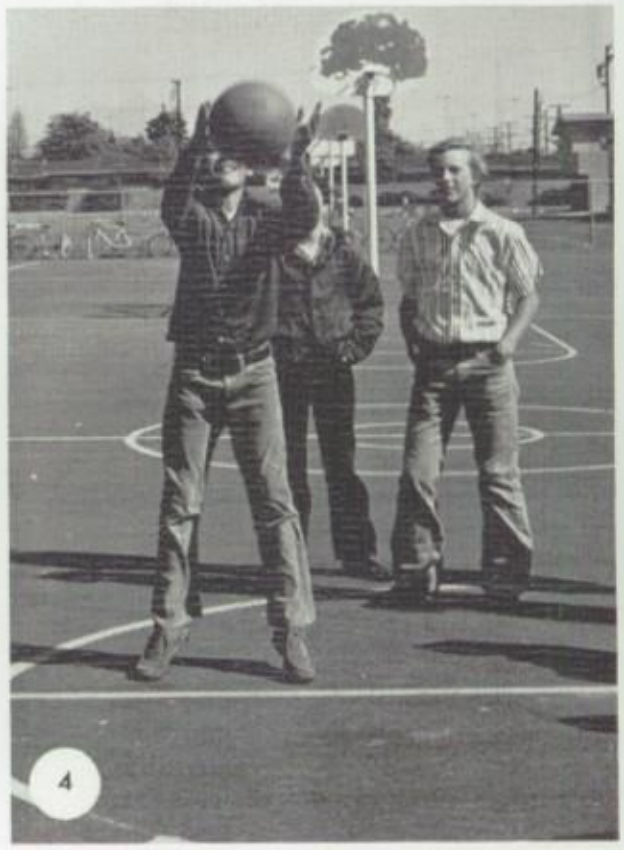

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On Thursday, the basketball free-throw competition was also held. But, due to the lack of time and wind conditions, the event was not finished. On Friday a greased pig contest took place at lunch-time. The upperclassmen prepared to challenge lowerclassmen in catching a Crisco-soaked **PIG.** But the pig, being fat, refused to participate after the first round. Friday was also Fifties Day. Many students came to school dressed in leather jackets, kacki's, skirts below the knees, penny-loafers and saddle shoes.

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1. Cobey puts one up in the freethrow competition. (Oh well, one out of ten isn't bad.) 2. Ride 'em, soueel 3. Ruth is foiled again by the crisco pig. 4. Randy Araiza gives it a try. 5. Did you know pigs are camera-shy? 6. Fifties Day gave everybody a chance to show his school spirit. 7. Jean laughs when Paul says: "Hey, man. I'm cool." 8. Do ya wanna dance? 9. Even teachers wore their favorite fifties costumes. 10. Mary Derse shares a little private joke with Mr. Spinner. 11. Even cool jays make time to study in their busy schedules.

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At the assembly after fourth period on Friday, awards were presented for everything from academic achievement to winning the wheelbarrow race. Awards were also given for the best fifties costumes. Highlights of the assembly included the songleaders' dancing to "At the Hop" and a special appearance by "Peanut Butter and Dill Pickles." That night after the basketball game students drove to the fifties dance. Diane Long and Danny Navarro won the week's final contest, a **JITTERBUG** contest. The music of "Oasis" brought Fifties Day and Spirit Week to a bebopping close.

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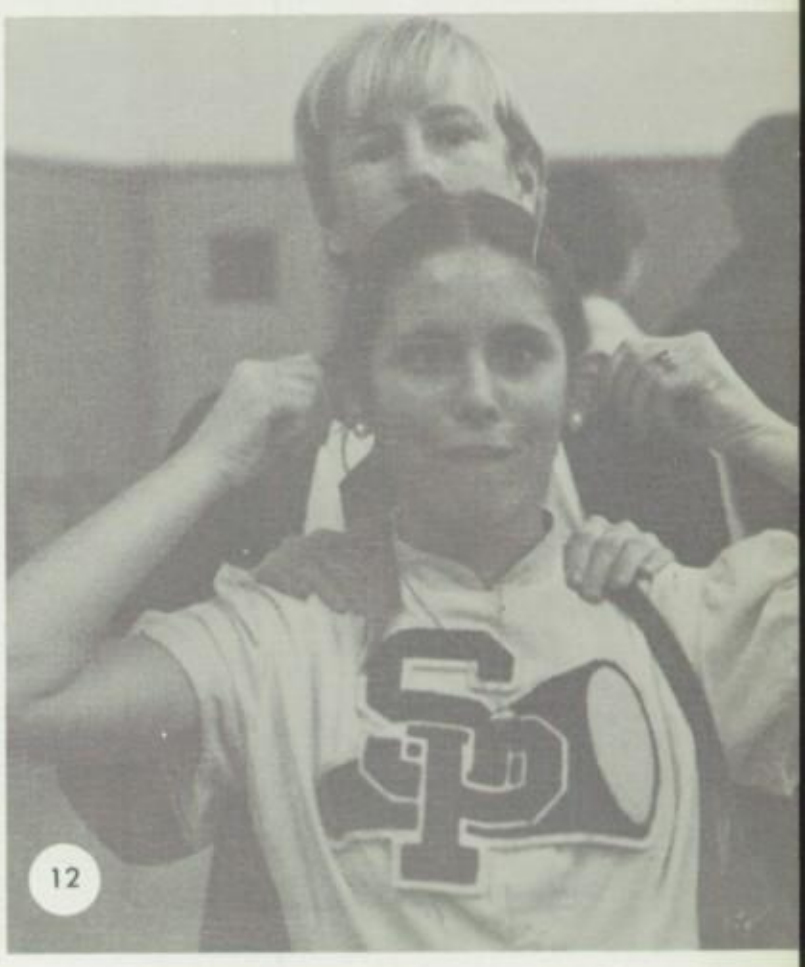
1. "Peanut Butter and Dill Pickles" do their thing. 2. "See all you groovy-lookin' chicks at the dance, and you nerds can come too." 3. Varsity Songleaders bop to "At the Hop." 4. Mike Montiel belts out "Barbara Ann, come take my hand, Oh Barbara Ann." 5. Mike McGahan tries to calm a crowd gone wild. 6. And the winners are: Leslie Vomund, best dressed gal; Miss Glatt, best dressed female teach; Terry Bozcek, best dressed guy; Mr. Murphy, best dressed male teach; Chris Valdivieso, biggest mouth, and Don Ski fastest hands. 7. The student body does a little jitterbug to the music of "Oasis." 8. One of the local nerds that attended the dance. 9. Germaine and friend rock around the clock. 10. Around and around she goes; where she'll stop noboby knows. 11. Step back! The Fonz is here! 12. Sandy in one of her normal moods.



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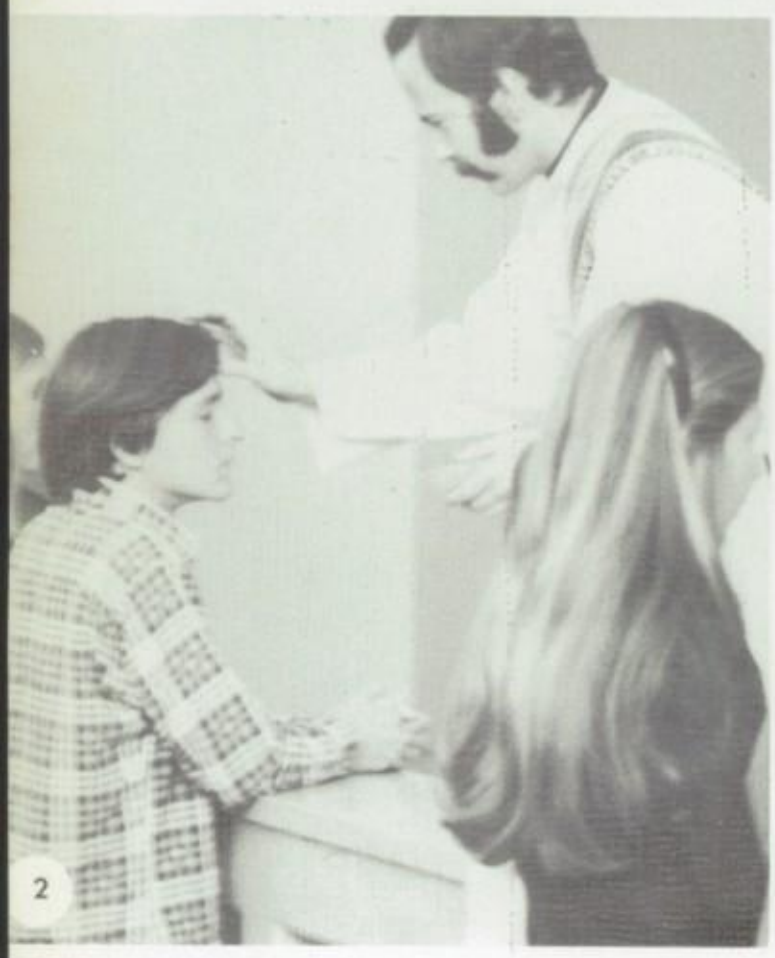
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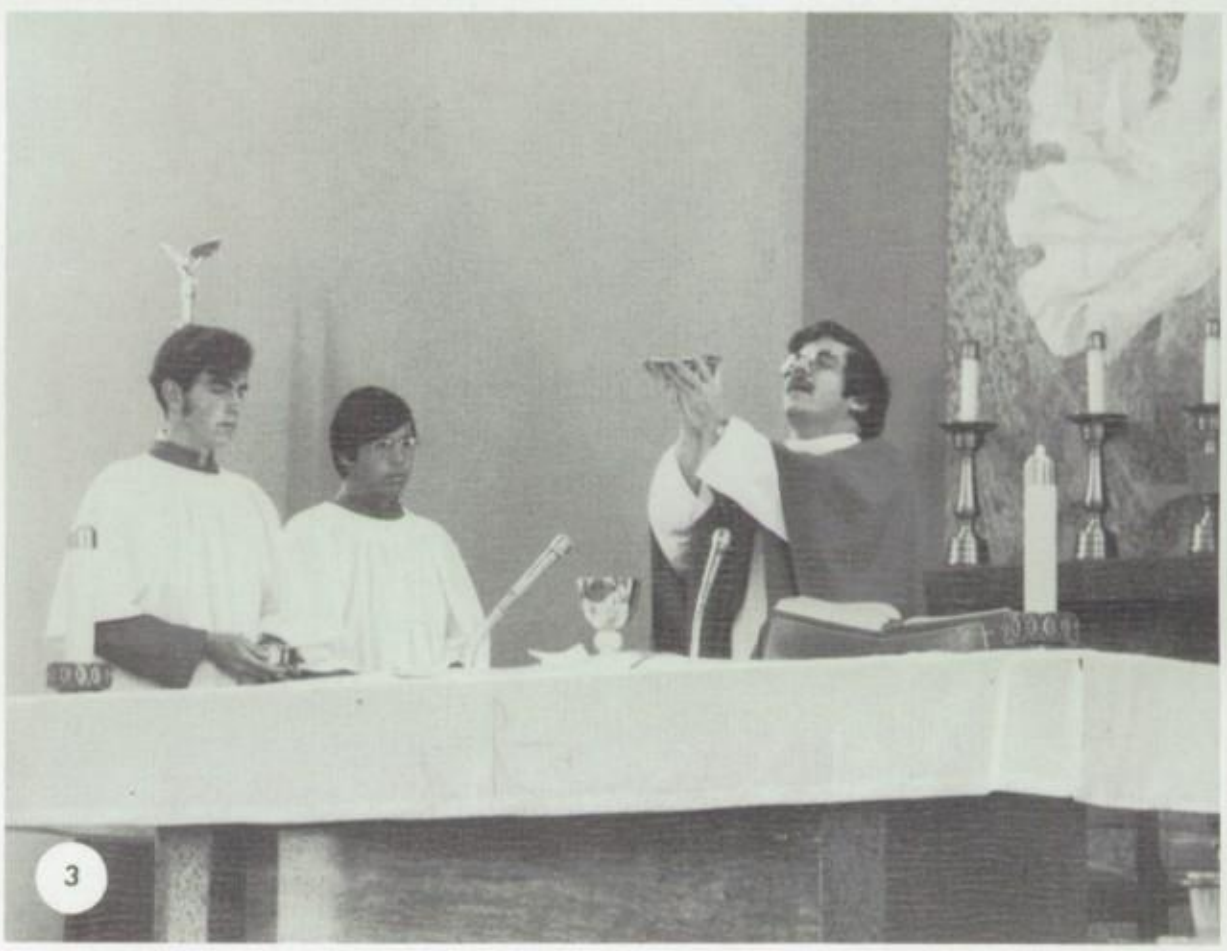
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The student body Mass on Ash Wednesday provided the occasion for the 1976 Junior Ring Ceremony. After the Mass Father Terry blessed the rings and spoke to the juniors about the symbolism of a ring. A ring, an unending circle, symbolizes God; the school rings given to the juniors symbolize their share in God's life, their unity with each other, and their unity with the school. Juniors proudly showed off their new

RINGS at a reception following the ceremony.

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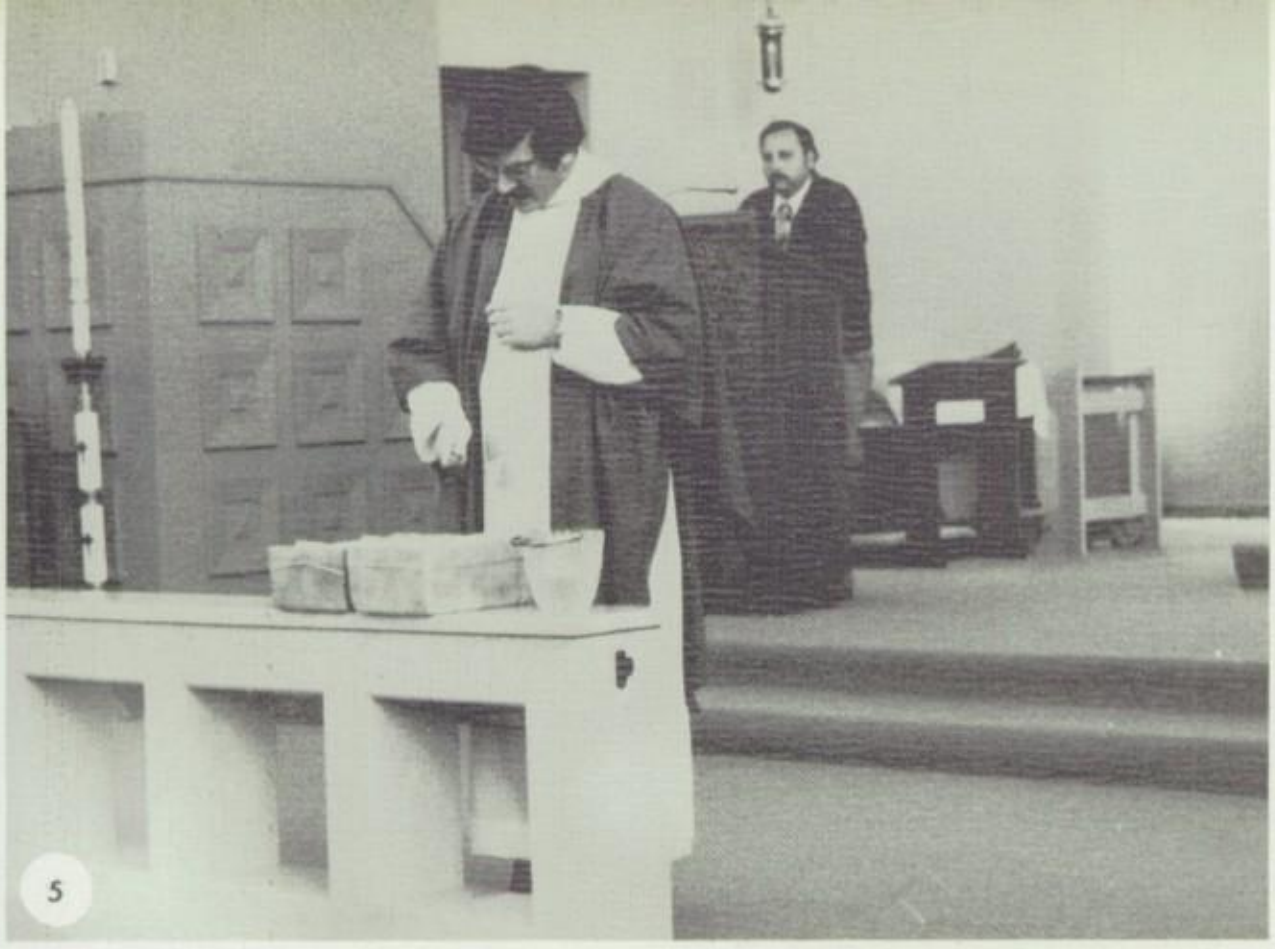
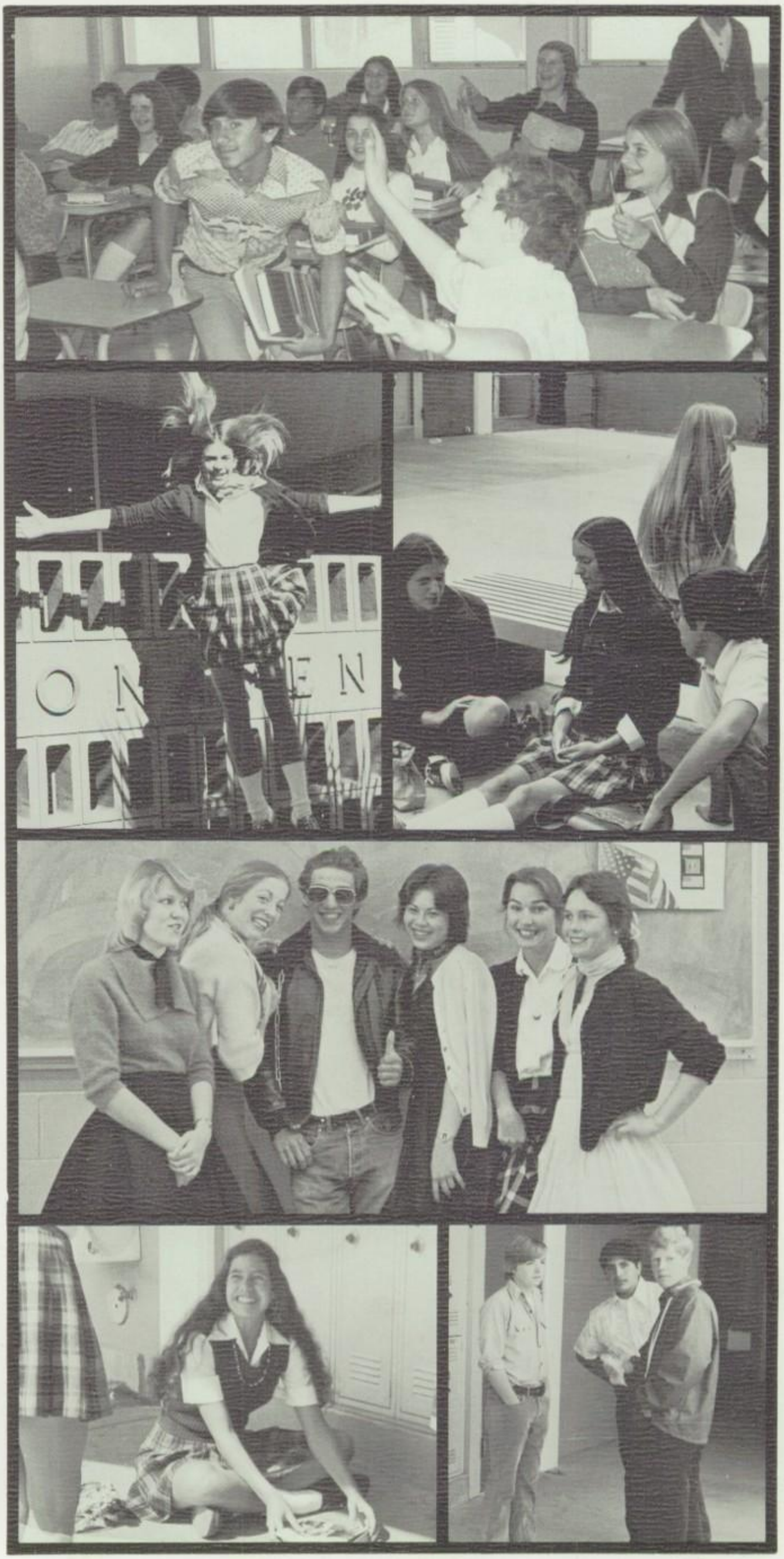


1. The juniors anxiously await the presentation of their rings. 2. "Remember man that you are dust and unto dust you shall return." 3. "Through your goodness we have this bread to offer." 4. Robert Clifford and Kelly Russell bring up the gifts at the Offertory. 5. Father Terry blesses the rings. 6. Peter Meyers leads the congregation in the Responsorial Psalm. 7. Robert Clifford presents Natalie Rodriguez with her ring. 8. Rings symbolize unity. 9. Pat Russell receives his ring. 10. Dick Drew receives his ring from Anthony Thurman.



The seed of freedom is implanted at birth and, as the **UNDER-GRADUATES** of Saint Bonaventure are presently discovering, it is developed through education. Let us hope that we do not become too thoroughly tamed. Let us hope that we do not lose our forefathers' dreams of freedom.

JUNIORS . . . Christmas carols in Algebra . . . class rings . . . Prom . . . Christmas tree decorating in Junior court . . . All were highlights of a fantastic year.

Michelle: Hope you had a good year I hope next year is even better! Real good guitar playing! See ya at the beach! Luv Cindy Hoffman

Abeloe, Donald
Antunez, Albert
Araiza, Ronald
Bahns, Elizabeth
Barrett, Cynthia

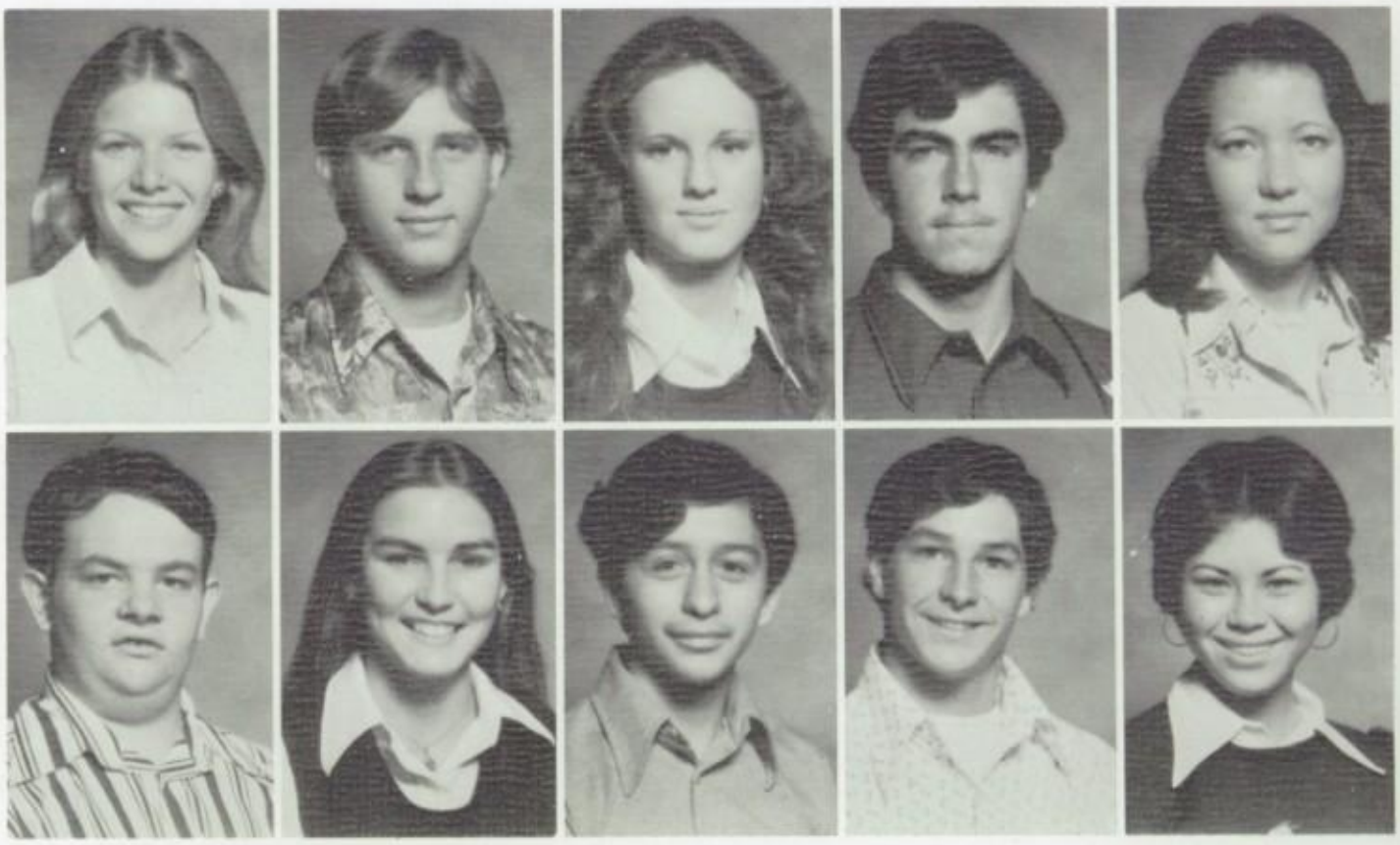
Basso, Michelle
Belshe, Wayne
Bendot, Joseph
Bennett, Bruce
Boczek, Terry

Below: Norm, the chemical architect constructs a new molecule.

Below: Chris enjoys his two favorite things.

The **WARM TIES** of friendship in the Junior Class bind them together in a special sort of unity that is evident in everything they do.

Boland, Bridget
Brock, Chris
Brokaw, Rebecca
Burke, Patrick
Burns, Rhonda



Carrier, Christopher
Case, Terri
Castro, Daniel
Clifford, Robert
Coffen, Patty

Who knows what evil lurks in the minds of men? Only the Shadow knows.

Cindy laughs at Patty's rendition of "The Days of Our Lives."

Collins, Peter
Connor, Michael
Costello, Eva
DeGraff, Desiree
Derse, Mary

Ditzhazy, Marianne
Drew, Richard
Eckberg, Karen
Ellis, Elizabeth
Fischer, Francie

Mary Ellen says, "It's not my color!"

Bridget tells Janice the latest news.

Foster, Julie
Gajefski, Luke
Garcia, Anne
Gendron, Robert
Gleason, Linda

A survey in Mrs. Miller's U.S. History class showed the **DIVERSE** background of the juniors' progenitors — Irish, Spanish, German, French, Scandinavian, Scottish, Portuguese. Like their ancestors, the Juniors show a variety of attitudes and ideas, but in spite of all this, they remain a tightly-knit group.

Haggard, Janet
Harper, Rebecca
Held, Erin

Hendrick, Frank
Hicks, Phillip
Hoffman, Cindy

Hughes, Nancy
Johnson, Ann
Jue, Valinda

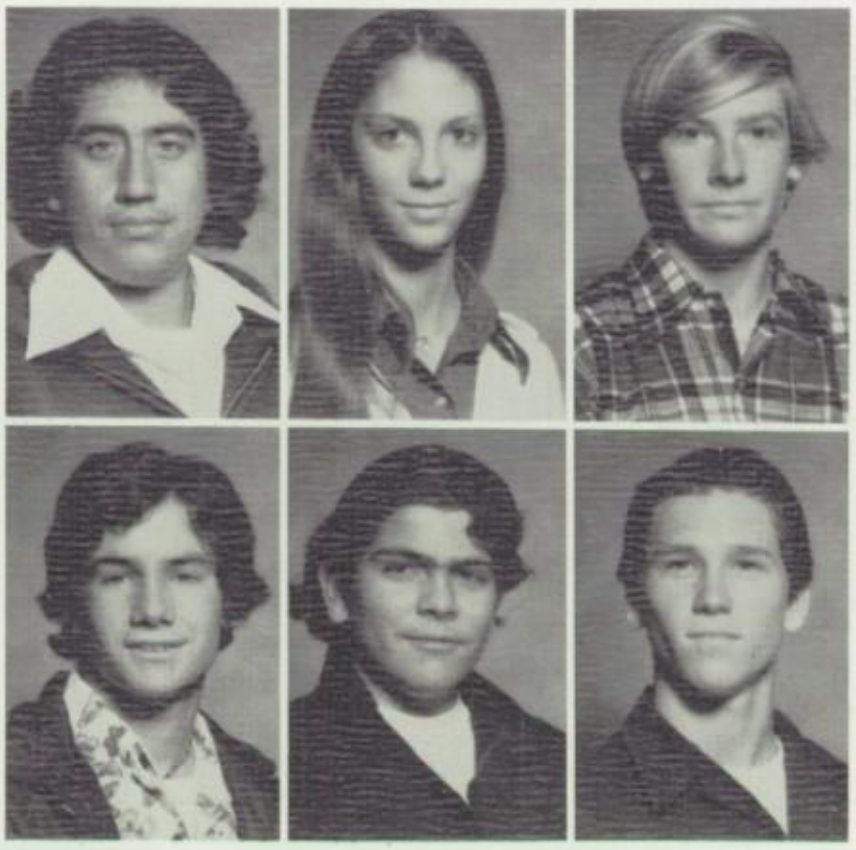
Kack, Joan
Kern, Mary
Kerin, Margaret

Korn, Jeanne
Kyser, Eric
Laan, Cathy
Lecher, Debbie
Letus, John

Karen and Renee get into the Christmas spirit.

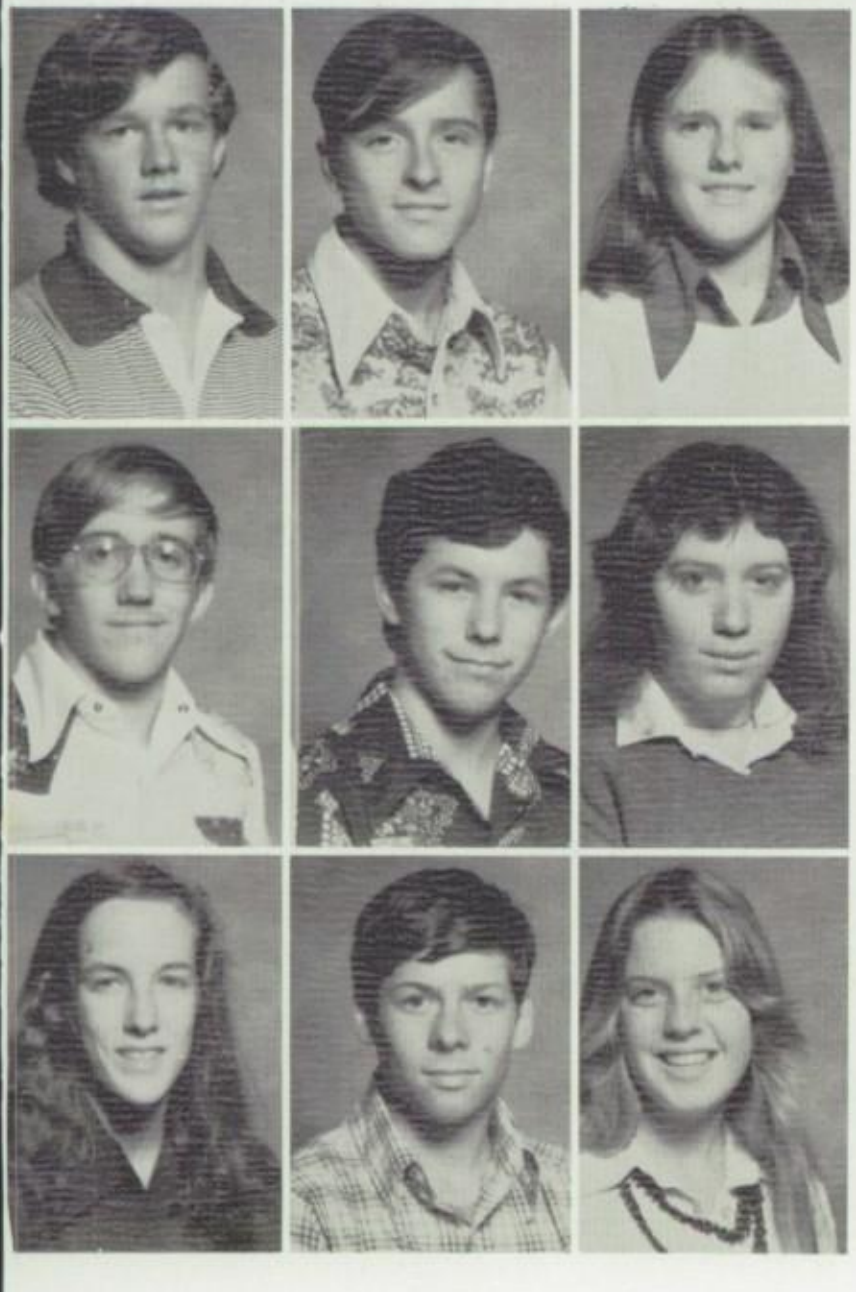
Liz and Terry discuss the beauty and depth of English Literature.

Joan, Becky and Mary are aghast at a student who could sleep during History Class.



Lopez, Ramon
Lopiano, Cathie
Mahoney, Richard

Marietta, Louis
Martinez, Mark
McAtee, Mark

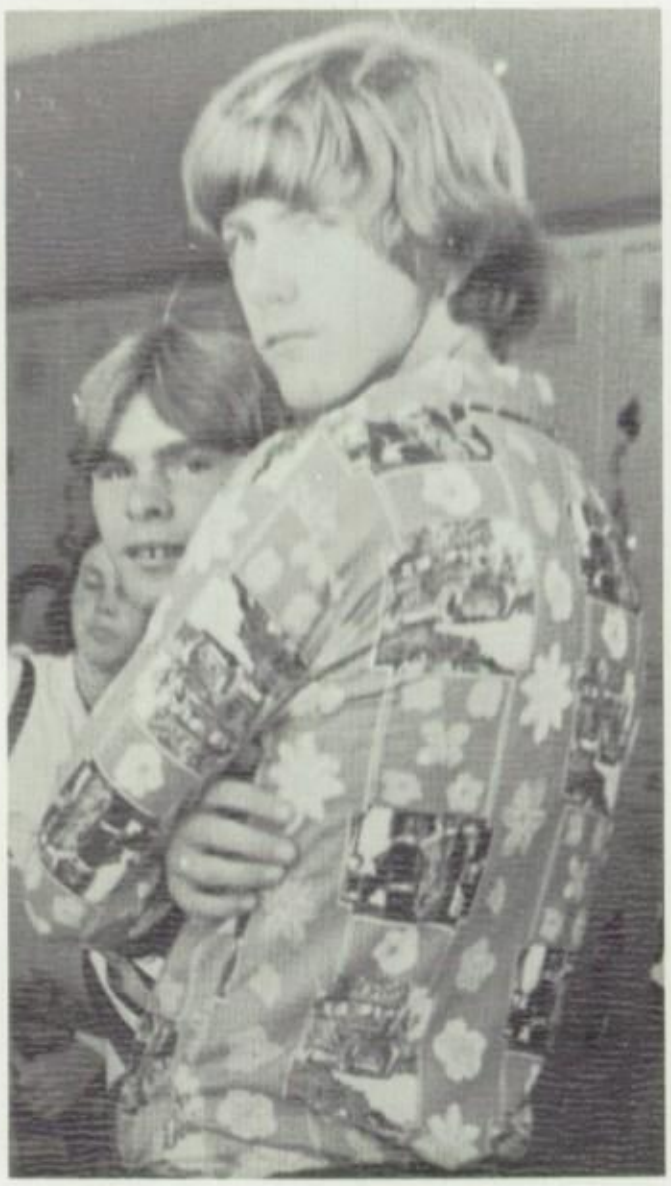


McGrath, Steve
Mellein, Patrick
Mellring, Patty

Meyers, Peter
Miskel, Michael
Modglin, Jeanne

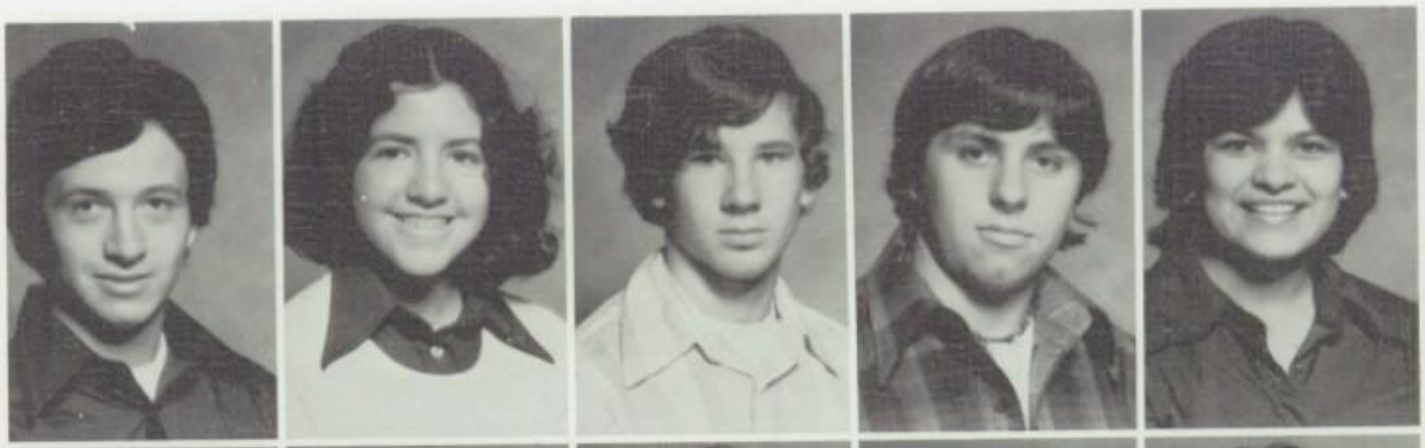
Mueller, Rose Anne
Murach, Robert
Pollock, Anne

Below: "Death to all who oppose the realm."



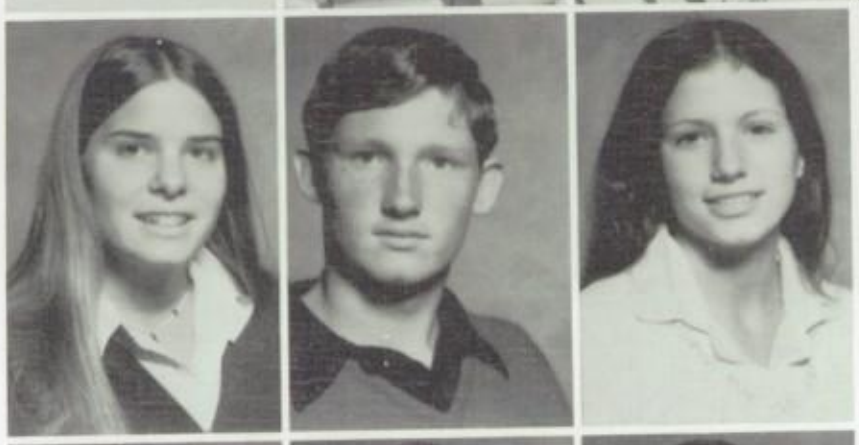
The **SPIRITED** juniors always find some way to show their enthusiasm for life. In everything they attempt, they put forth that extra little effort which will help them in the future.

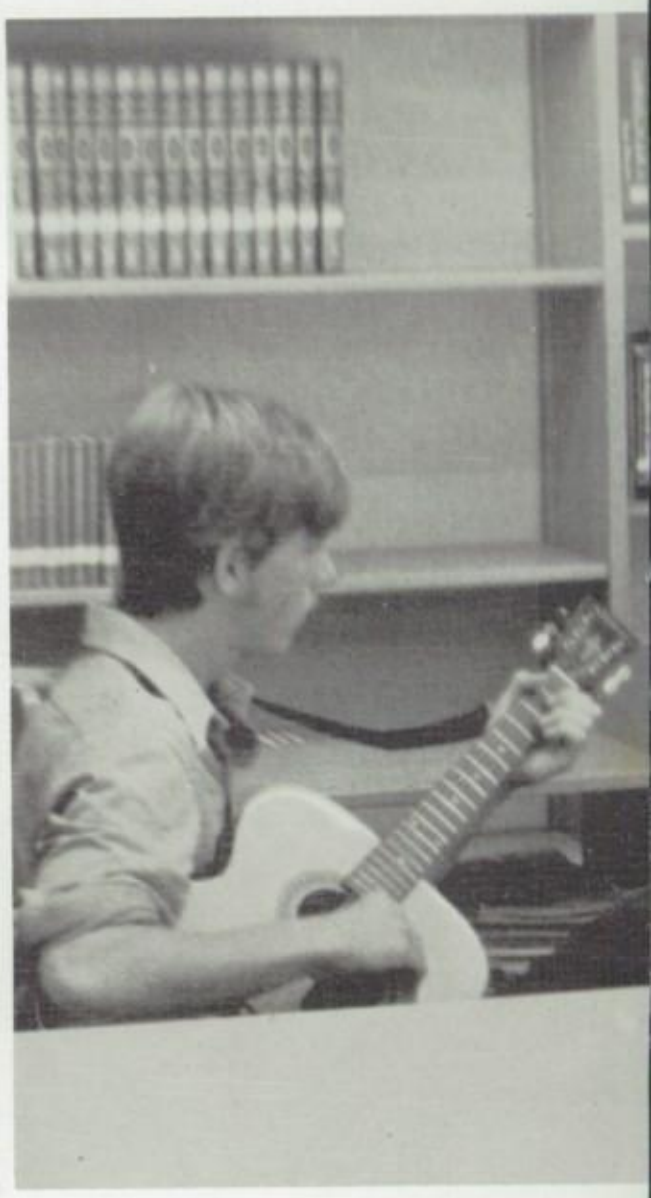
Pulido, Norman
Quijada, Maria
Raba, Phillip
Ramirez, Gregory
Ramirez, Kathryn



Ramirez, Renee
Reardon, Patrick
Renehan, John
Rodriguez, Natalie
Rosas, Rosamaria

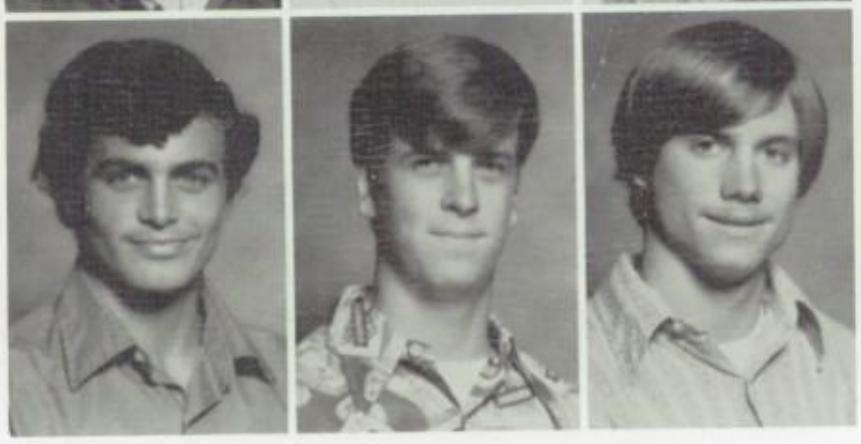
Ross, Melanie
Rostohar, Robert
Russell, Kelly





Russell, Patrick
Schreiner, Robert
Sell, Alicia

Silvestri, Timothy
Sisemore, David
Ski, Donald



Mary, Mary, quite contrary, how does your centrifuge spin?

Soto, Margaret
Spencer, Mary ellen
Thomas, Karen

Thomas, Lisa
Thurman, Anthony
Uram, Denise

Valdivieso, Christopher
Vasquez, Steven
Vaughan, Gail

Weisshaar, Michelle
Welsh, Edward
Youngstrom, Kimberly

Not pictured:

Ekman, Linda
Zakrajshek, Cynthia

Michelle, may you pass next year with straight A's
Best of Luck
Bob May '77 CMH

SOPHOMORES on the road are rowdy and full of life, not able to turn back, but only to go forward. In spite of it all, they still manage to find a little time for study and seriousness.

Abeloe, David
Anguiano, Jody
Bailey, Cheryal
Bortolin, Tonia
Bovee, Kevin

Brock, David
Bryson, Mike
Burhoe, Fred
Burns, Michael
Bushman, James

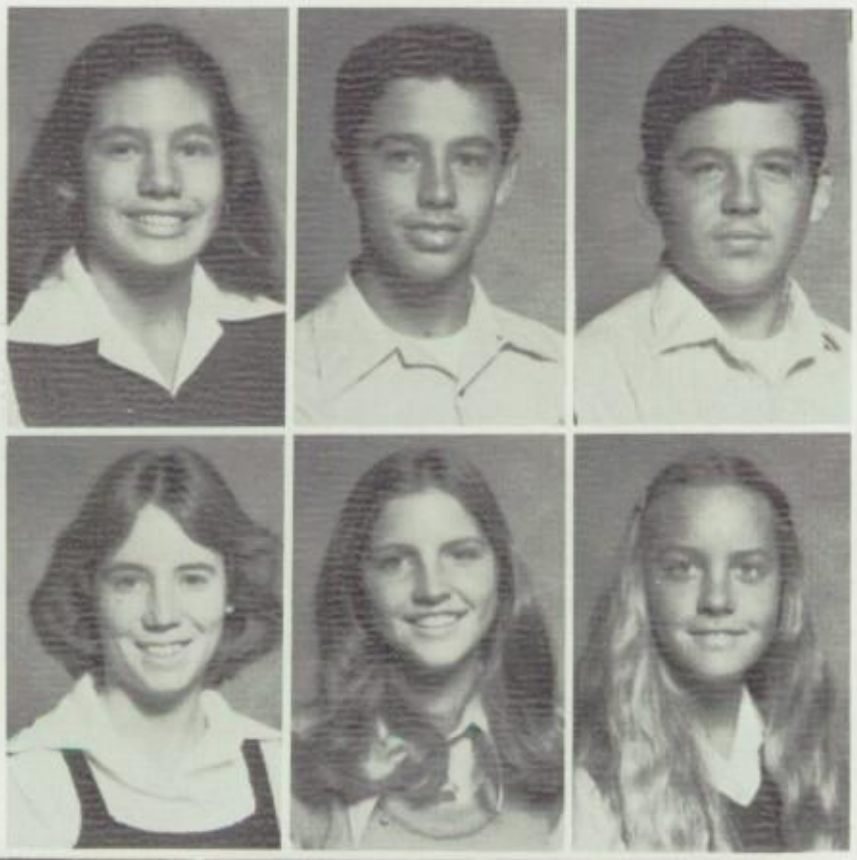
Bushwall, Steve
Carranco, Tony

Castro, Manuel
Coffen, Deborah

Coffman, Mary
Colborn, Diane

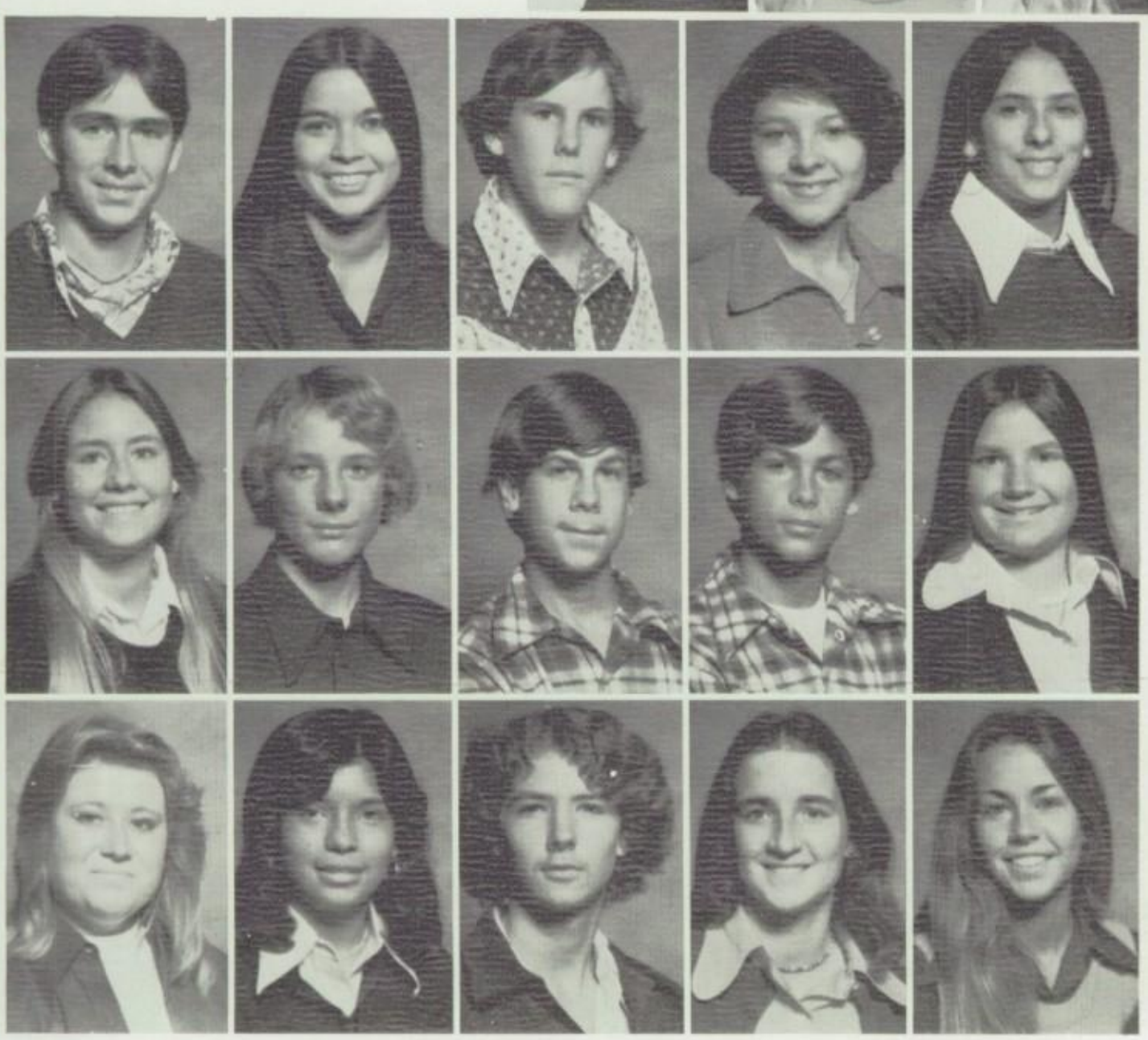
Dawn and Chris show some of that Seraph Spirit.

Mark Colitti shows the utmost concentration.



Colitti, Lauren
Colitti, Mark
Colitti, Michael

Crawford, Lynn
Curtis, Kelly
Dasnoit, Mary



Duran, James
Escobar, Della
Farnsworth, Steve
Flores, Tina
Foulks, Roxanne

Giberti, Renae
Golden, Barry
Hamel, Gary
Hamel, Gregory
Harrison, Sheryl

Henderson, Dana
Herrera, Denise
Hicks, Brian
Hicks, Frances
Hoffman, Catherine

Each and every day brings **NEW** ideas and experiences for the Sophomores, as in their second year of high school, they fall into the routine of Seraph life.

Hughes, Peter
Jack, Amanda
Klock, Patty
Knox, Mark
Kohr, Kenneth

Kulwiec, Kenneth
Lara, Gina
LeSchofs, Robert
Long, Dawn
Lopez, Alex

Lopez, Lisa
Lopez, Ray

Manuel and Denise discuss the brighter side of life.

Lubansky, Donna
Lund, Jeanette

Mahoney, Thomas
Marietta, Marty
Martinez, Christina
Martinez, Stephanie
Mason, Tresa

Maxwell, Judy
McDonald, Patrick
McInally, Matt
Mejia, Manuel
Melhorn, Peter

Mellein, Marty
Mendoza, Mary
Meyers, Anne
Miskel, Jeff
Modglin, Tom

Moniot, Mike
Montiel, Joseph

Mumford, Kathy
Navarro, Kevin

"It's got to be in here somewhere."

Ordner, Patty
Pacheco, Jesse
Parrone, Lynn
Patterson, Mike
Perez, Christina

Now, with only **MEMORIES** left of their two years of high school, the Sophomore Class looks forward to each new experience that life as Juniors will bring them.

Perkins, Frank
Pierce, Tammy
Reyes, Anna
Reyes, Phyllis
Ritenour, Phillip

Roche, Chris
Rodriguez, Raymond

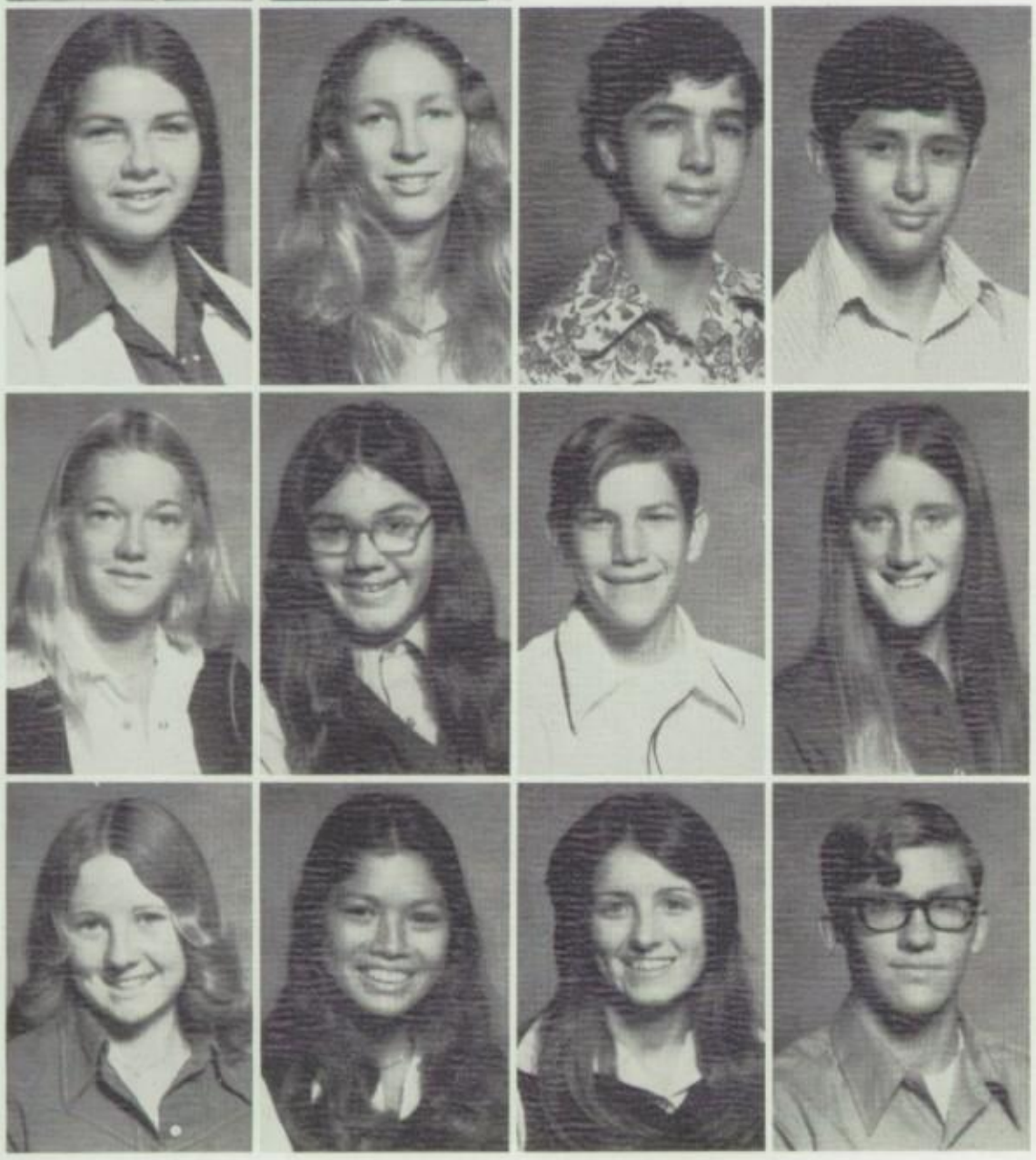
"Where did it go?"

Romney, Scott
Sandoval, Robert

Santoyo, William
Scott, B. J.
Secor, Linda
Sengbush, Theresa
Serfozo, Dave

Sloniker, Richard
Smith, Brent
Smith, Eric
Solis, David
Steed, Colleen

"Take a V . . ."



Stephens, Andrew
Tallman, Kathleen

Tapia, Elizabeth
Thomas, Marie

Tingstrom, Cathy
Traverse, Eugenia
Vaughan, Larry
Victoria, Anthony

Vomund, Leslie
Weisshaar, Debbie
Wenker, John
Winfrey, Pam

Woodyard, Sandra
Yzaguirre, Christine
Zuniga, Doreen
Zurovski, Mark

Not pictured:
De Los Santos, Mark
Poster, William

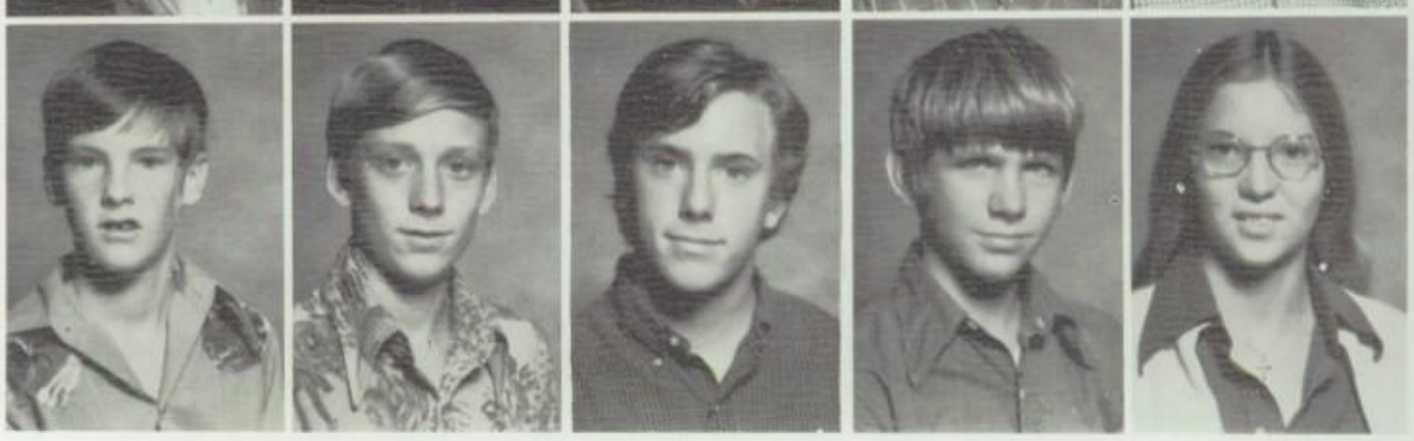
Although the **FRESHMAN** Class was the largest class at S.B.H.S. this year, they learned that size is not everything — especially at Pep rallies. But, they soon caught the spirit and cheered the Seraphs on to victory.

Randy's friendly smile and look of confidence show that he has found his way around.

Abeloe, Dennis
Adams, Marty
Anderson, Robert
Araiza, Randal
Avila, John

Bailey, Connie
Bausola, Annette
Brack, Lisa
Brock, Steven
Buchan, Kenneth

Buchan, Patrick
Burns, James
Burns, Vincent
Caezza, Patrick
Cardill, Margaret



Cash, Tara
Cazares, Ernesto
Chess, Gregory
Clark, Janee
Cluff, Ken

Cobey, Kevin
Coffen, Rebecca
Cofrancesco, Louann
Cohen, Barbara
Collins, Barbara

Connell, Rikki
Cordero, Rene
Curtis, Kimberly
Dally, Michael
Dasnoit, Eddie

Joe and John discuss the advantages of being freshmen.

Davis, Edward
Donovan, James
Dukellis, Nicholas

Ellis, Margaret
Fitzgerald, Keif
Fletcher, Timothy

They are constantly **GETTING TO KNOW** more of the unique individuals who make up the school which they attend.

Foulks, Diana
Frank, Greg
Frazier, Robin
Gajefski, Lynette
Gallagher, Patrick

Garcia, Yvonne
Geary, Siobhan

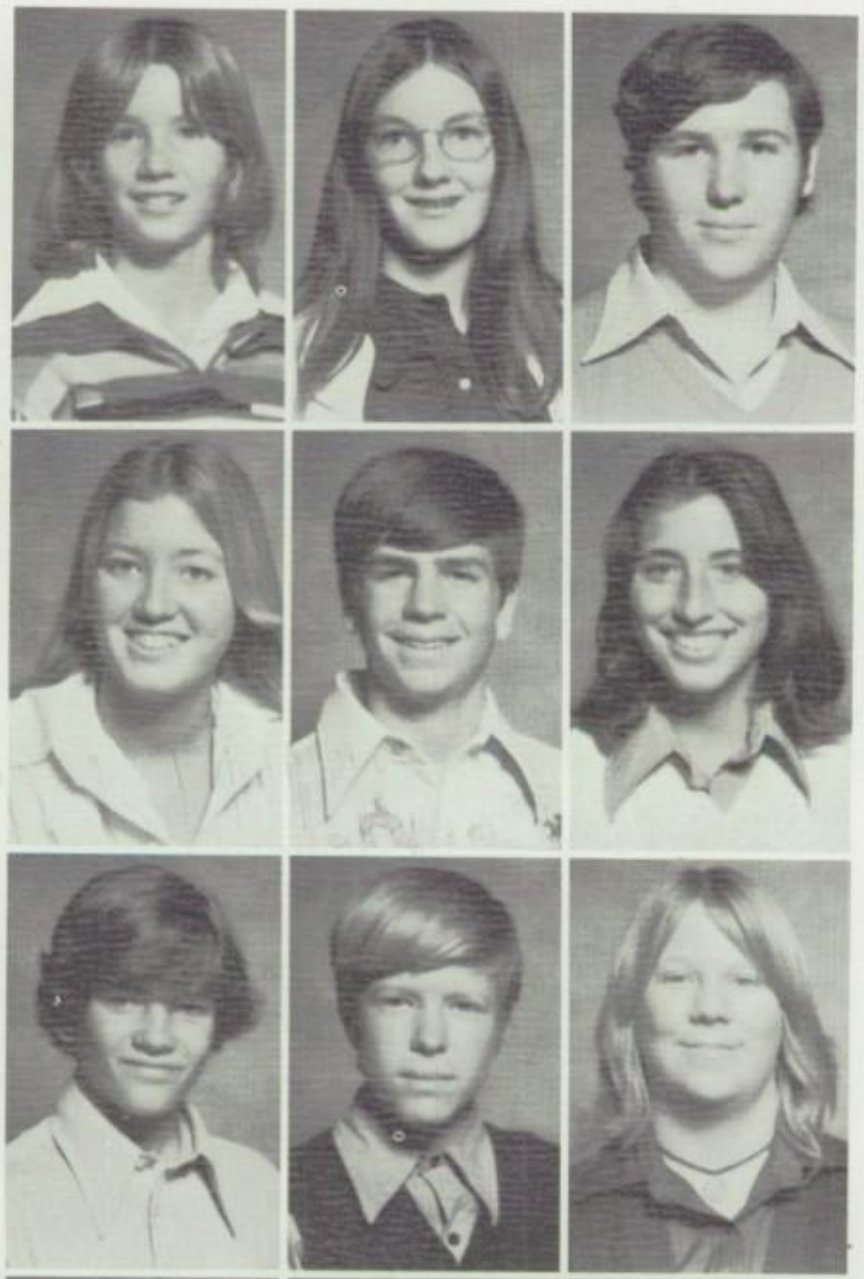
Giberti, Richard
Guilin, Ramona

Diane and Sharon listen intently to morning announcements.

Hagar, Frances
Hartman, Julie
Hendrick, Peter
Hull, Sharon
Hutchinson, Alyca

Ibison, Steven
Jacobson, Steven
Joe, Nina
Johnson, Brian
Kaplan, Paul

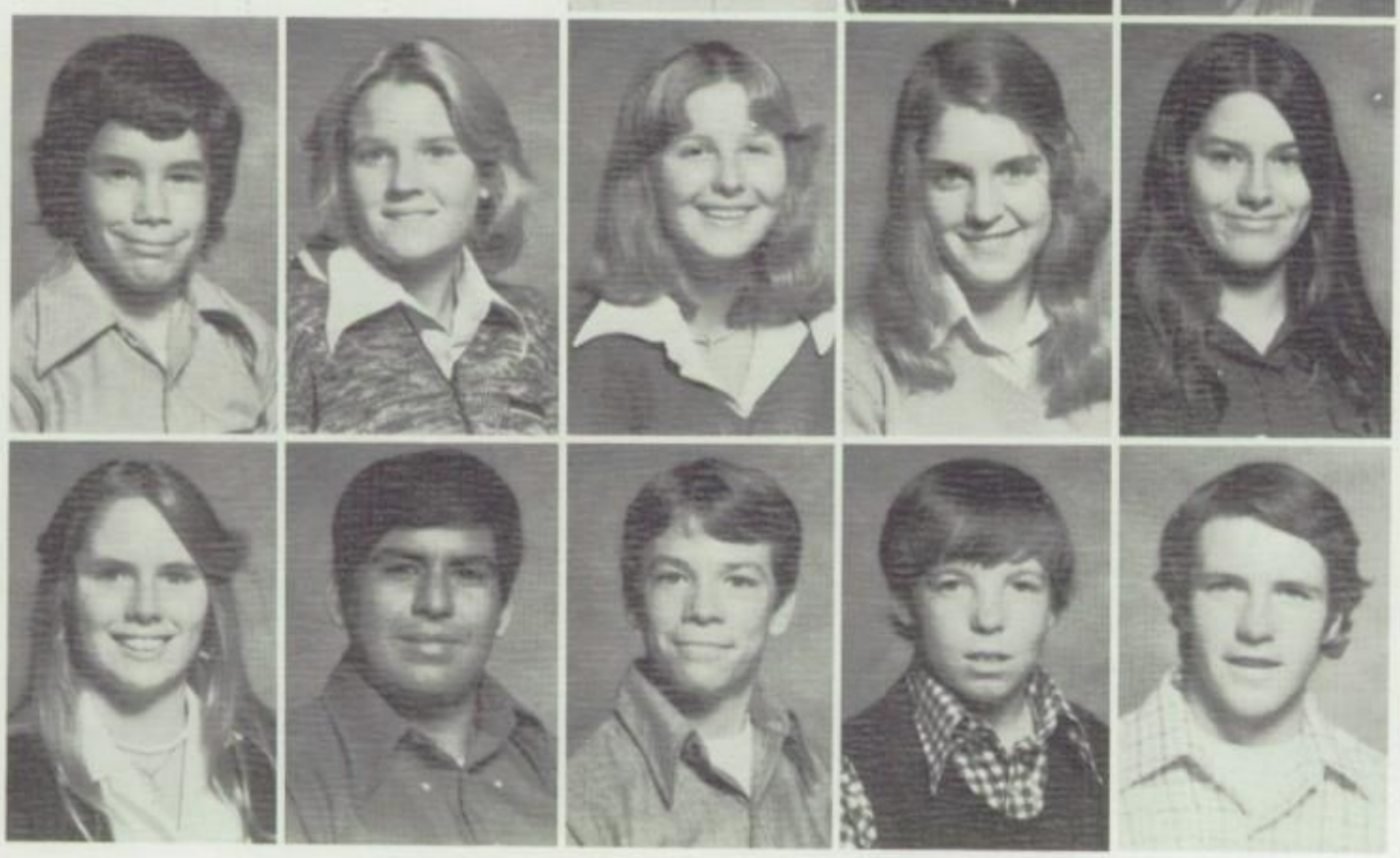
"What is it?"



Kern, Elizabeth
Kerwin, Bernadette
Klement, Gordon

Knox, Kellie
Kulwiec, Michael
Kulzer, Victoria

Laan, Peter
Lancett, Larry
Legg, Laura

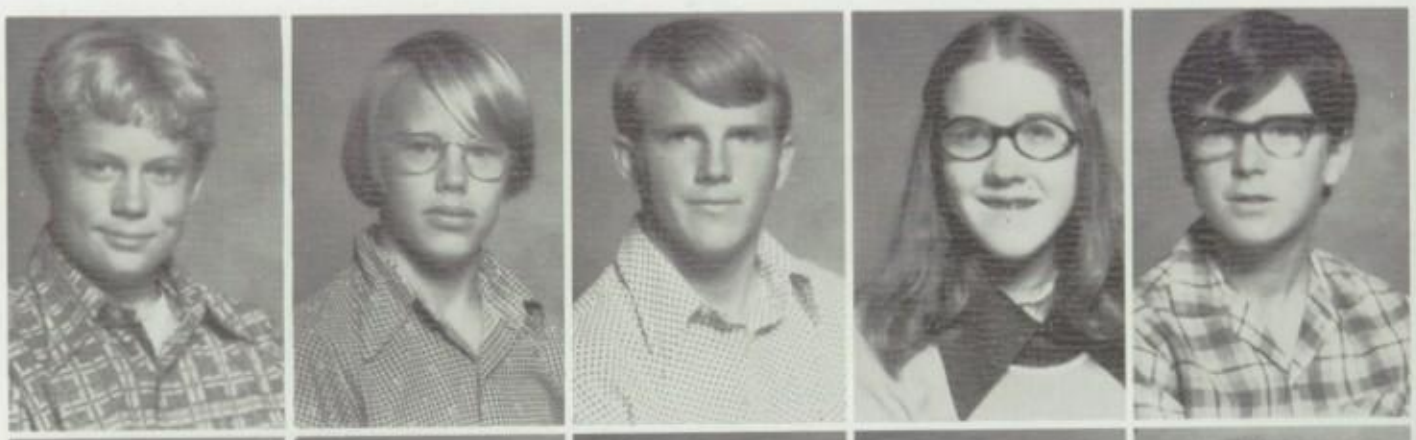


Lund, Richard
Mahoney, Kathryn
Malette, Beverly
Mason, Tammi
Matly, Elizabeth

Maxwell, Suzanne
Mayorga, Steven
McAtee, Kevin
McCarry, Dennis
McCarthy, Daniel

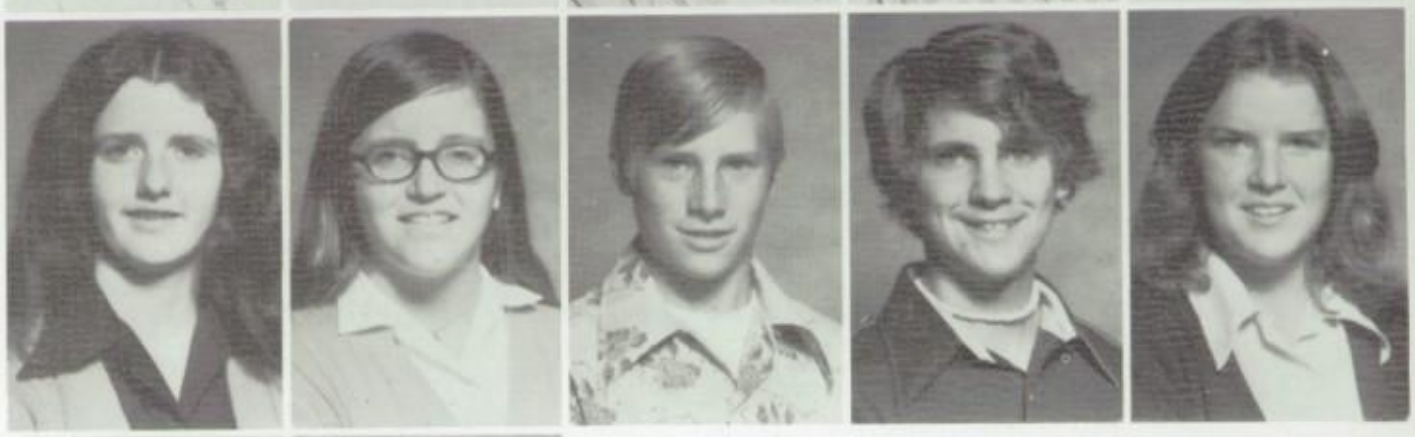
The freshmen were **NEWCOMERS** to high school, but with their initiation they became full-fledged Seraphs.

McGahan, Michael
Melhorn, Bruce
Mellring, Thomas
Meyers, Jeanne
Michalezyk, Jeffery



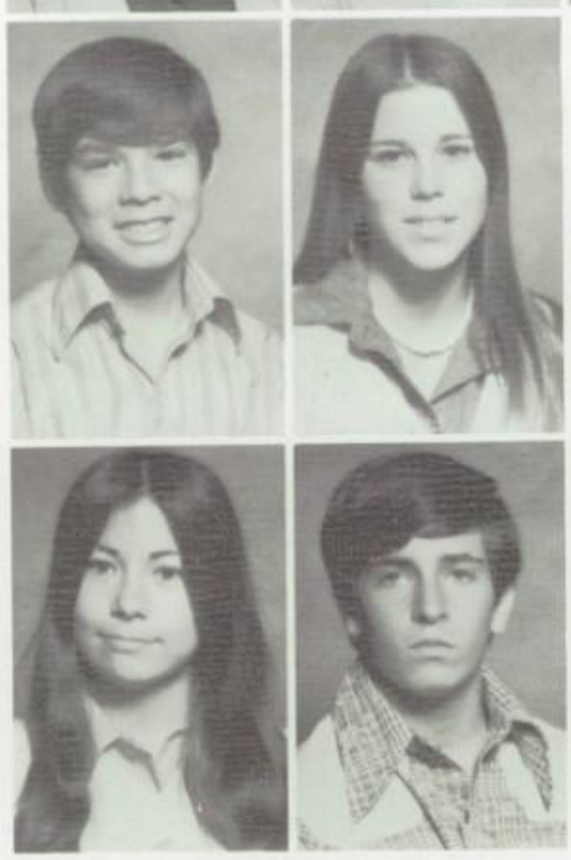
Michalski, Maryann
Michl, John
Montiel, Michael
Morgan, John
Murillo, Lisa

Naborowski, Allison
Naborowski, Julie
Neary, Brian
Neville, Charles
Owen, Lisa



Palmisano, Joseph
Parrish, Denise

Pate, Deborah
Patterson, James



Kevin tries to supervise Randy's collage-making.

Steve Mayorga eagerly awaits a Bonnie Burger at the Fair.

Pauley, Cathryn
Perrett, Gretchen

Phillips, Matthew
Polk, Sherri

Poindexter, John
Pozos, Anette
Pregen, Tonia
Pulido, Tony
Ramirez, Judith

Reardon, Michelle
Renehan, Susan
Reyes, Edward
Reynolds, Patricia
Richardson, Constance
(Connie)

Ritenour, Marjorie
Rodriguez, Jacquelina
Romney, Nancy
Romo, Jeanne
Ruiz, Stephanie

It is **ONLY THE BEGINNING** for the freshmen as they look forward to more exciting times at St. Bonaventure High School.

Salisbury, Margo
Sassoe, Sylvia
Schouten, Valerie
Secor, Donna
Shanahan, Molly

Sisemore, Dennis
Slider, Mike

Smith, Karen
Smith, Leslie

Barbara thinks it's funny, but Robin has the Monday morning blahs.

Smith, Randall
Solomon, Anne
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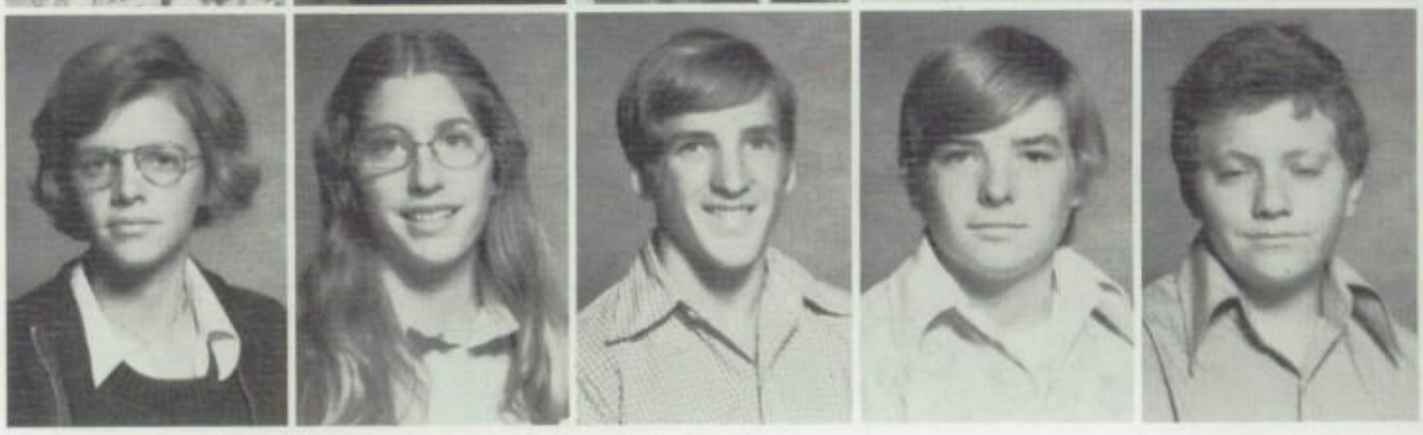

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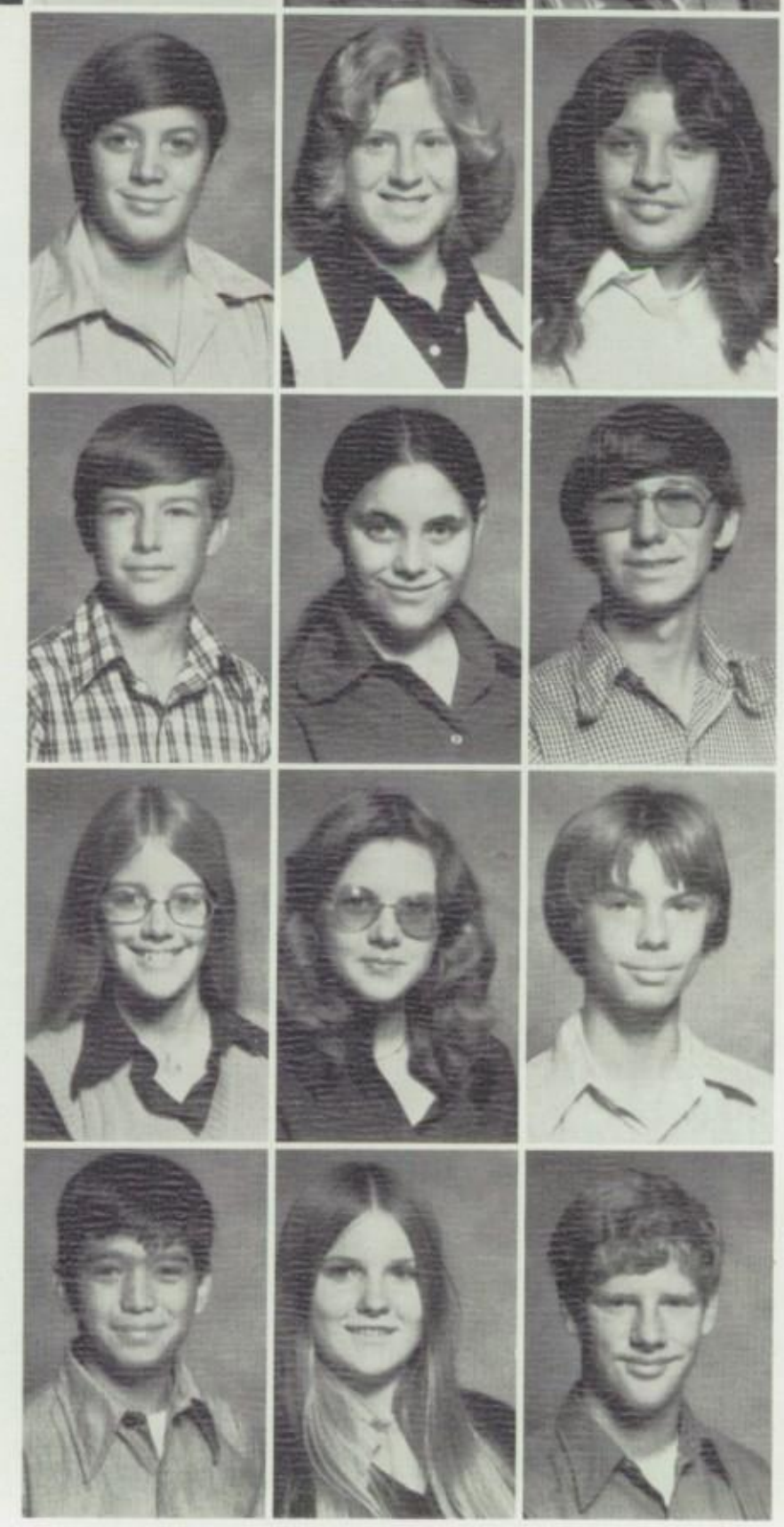

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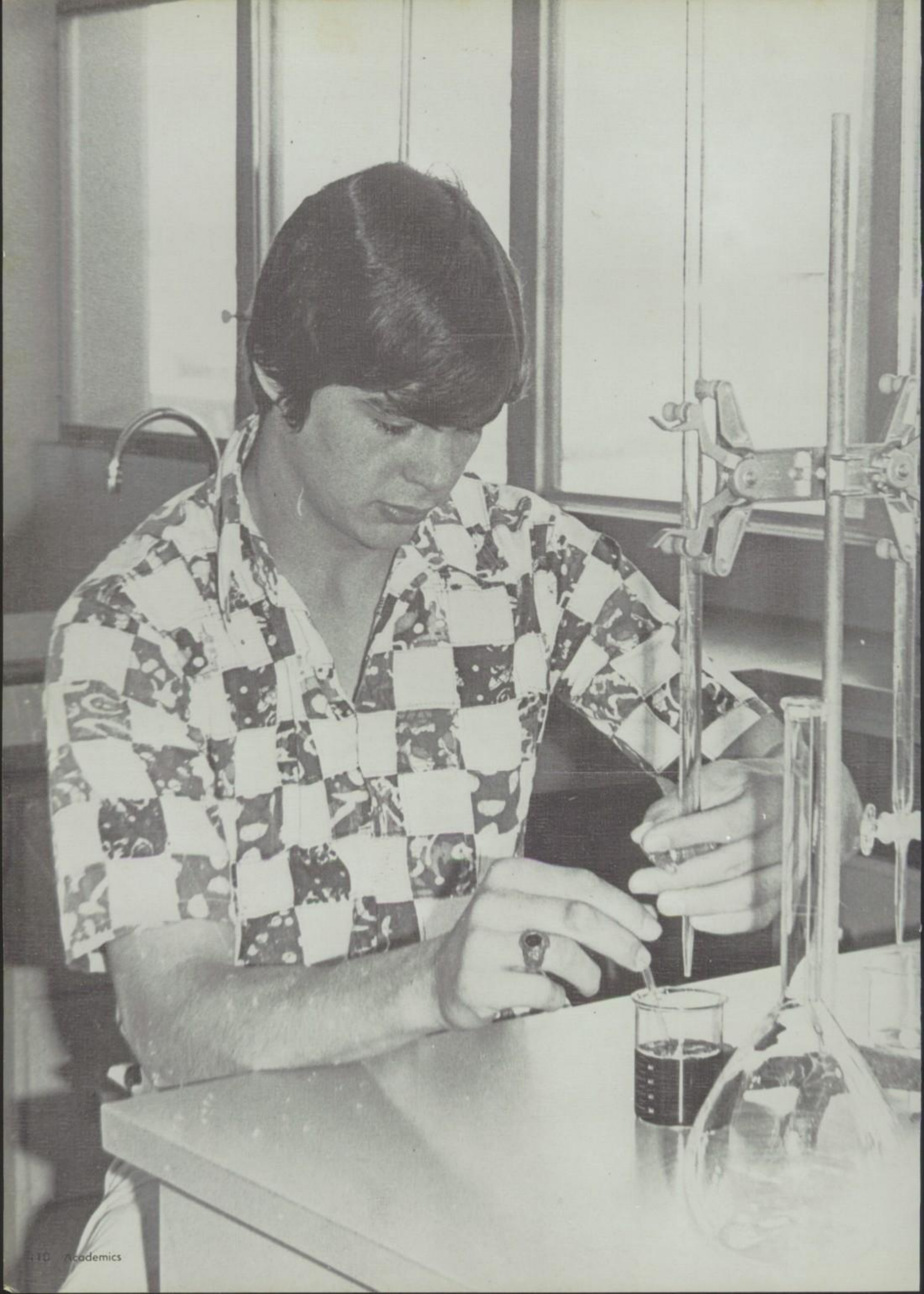

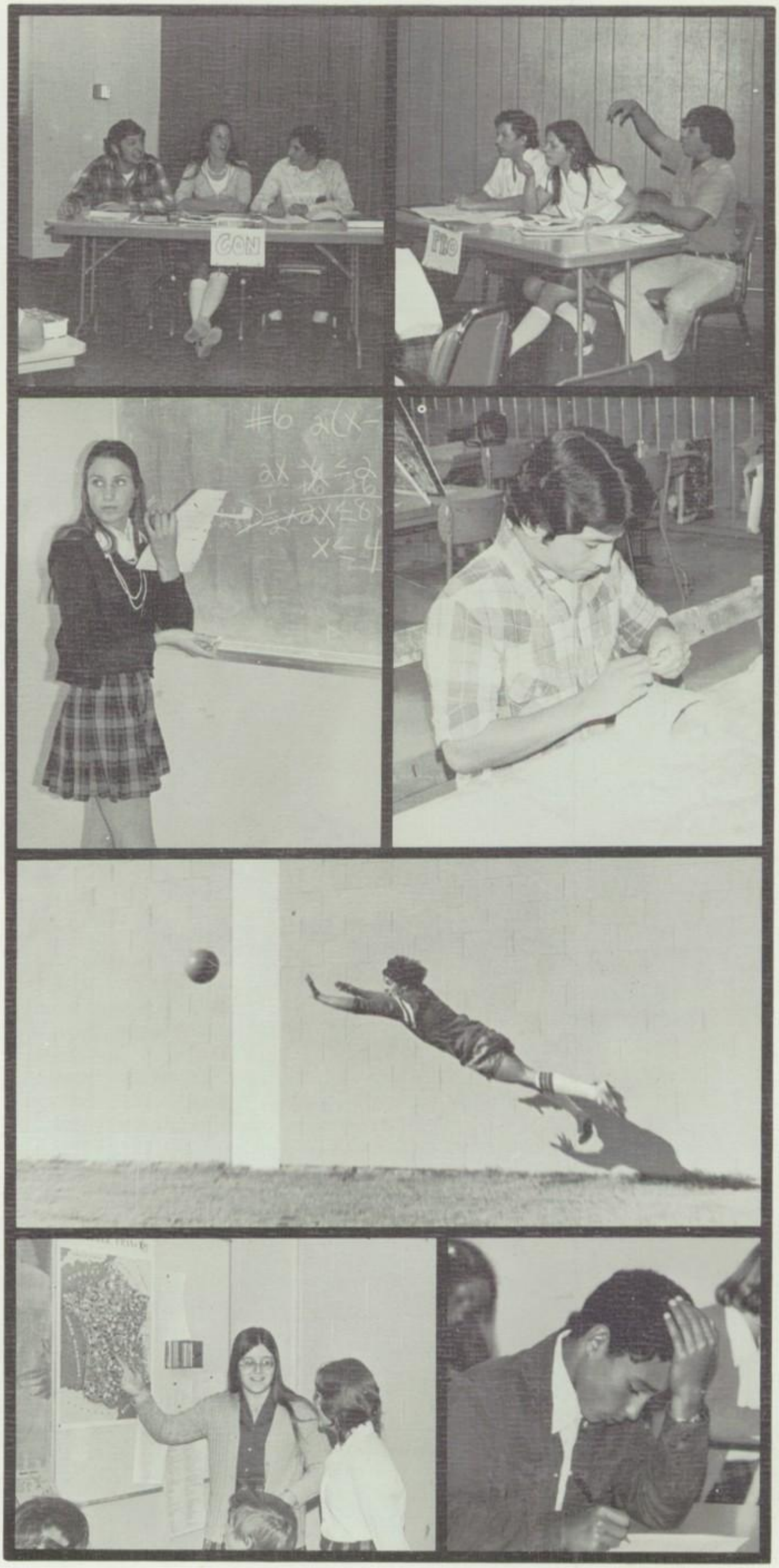

Everyone learns something everyday, according to an old saying. This is especially true of the high school student, who spends a major portion of his time learning in the classroom. The average student, however, does not want to just walk into class, accumulate knowledge and walk out. Learning does not necessarily have to be fun, but it has to be interesting to the student. The more a person is interested in the courses he takes, the more he will learn, and the more

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will be an important part of his life.

Advanced basket-weaving, intermediate fingerpainting . . .? None such **SILLINESS** here at S.B.H.S.; we take our arts and crafts seriously. Students are introduced to many areas, from art appreciation to leather working, water colors to clay; origami to acrylics. Art gives creative people a chance to express themselves and other people a chance to be creative.

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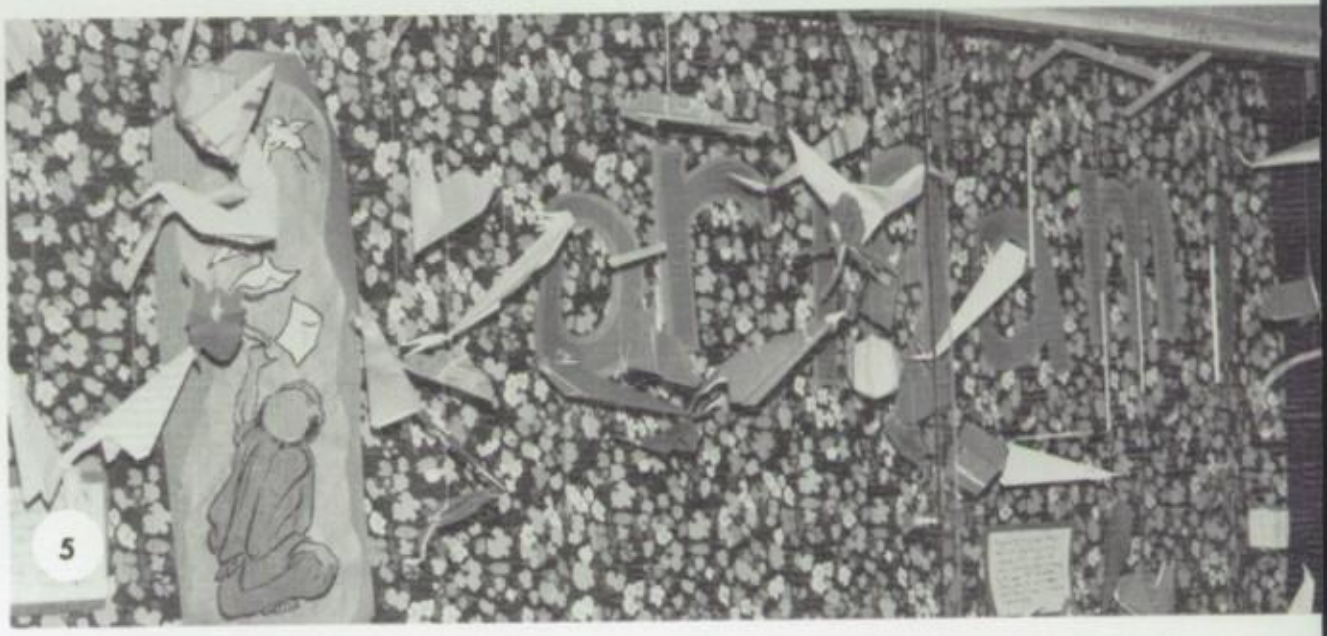
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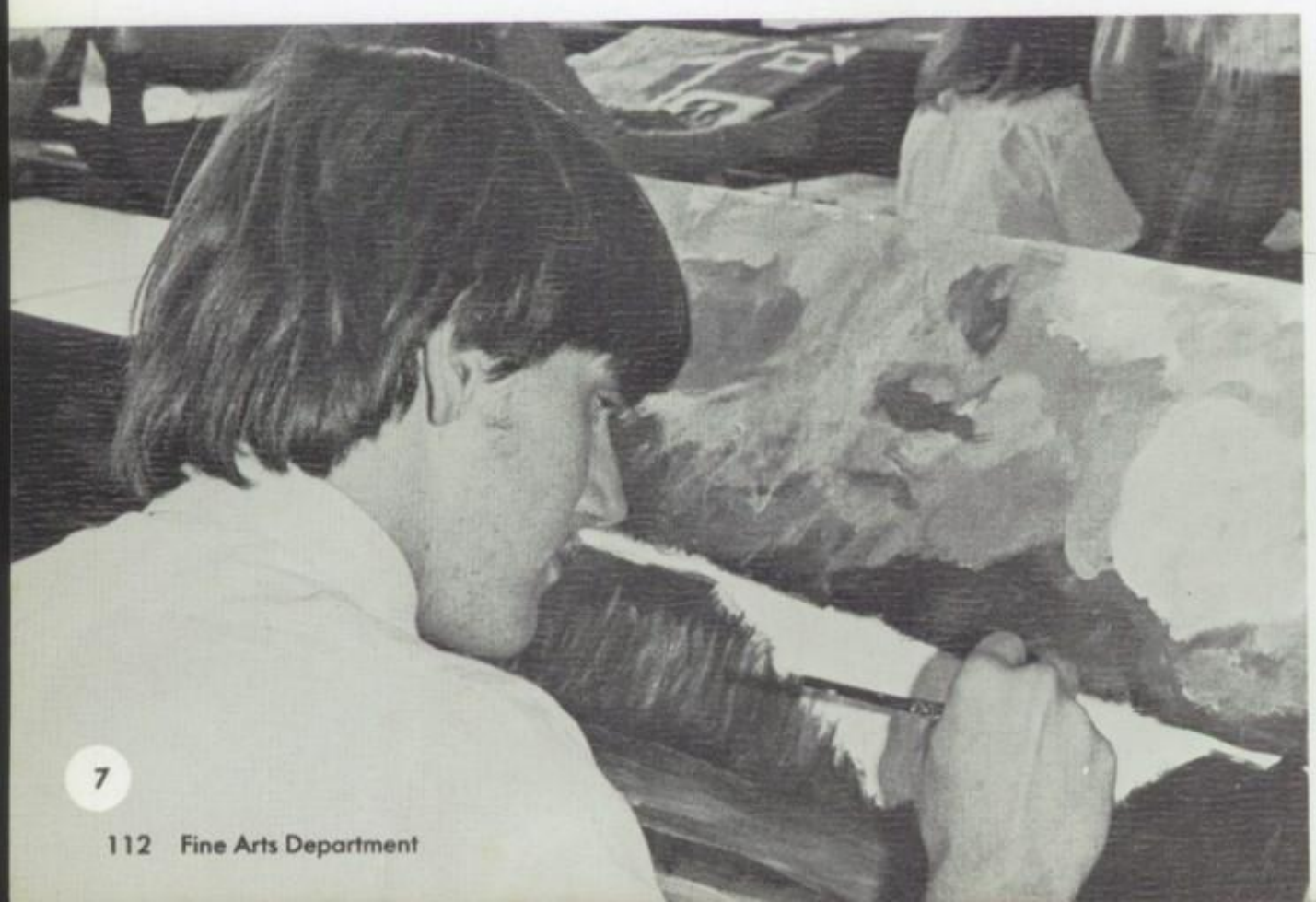
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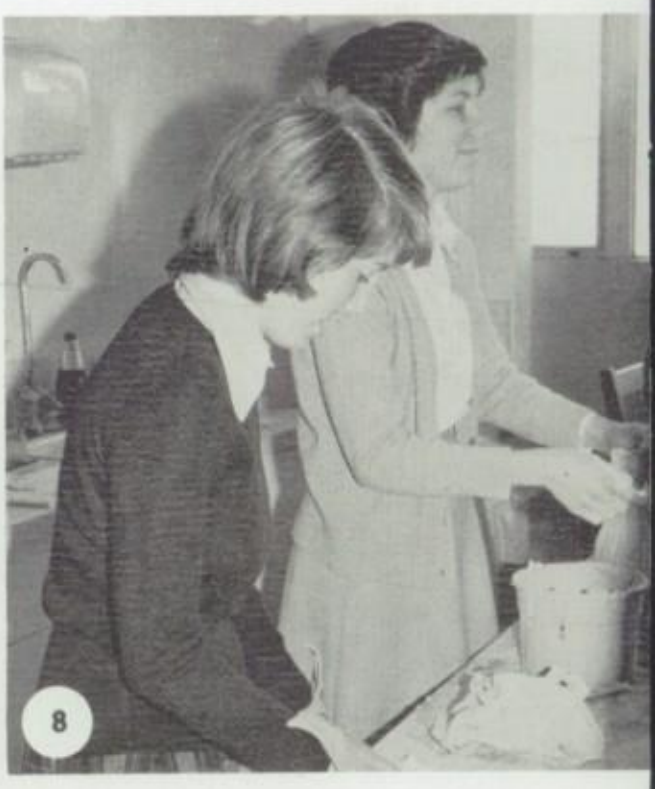
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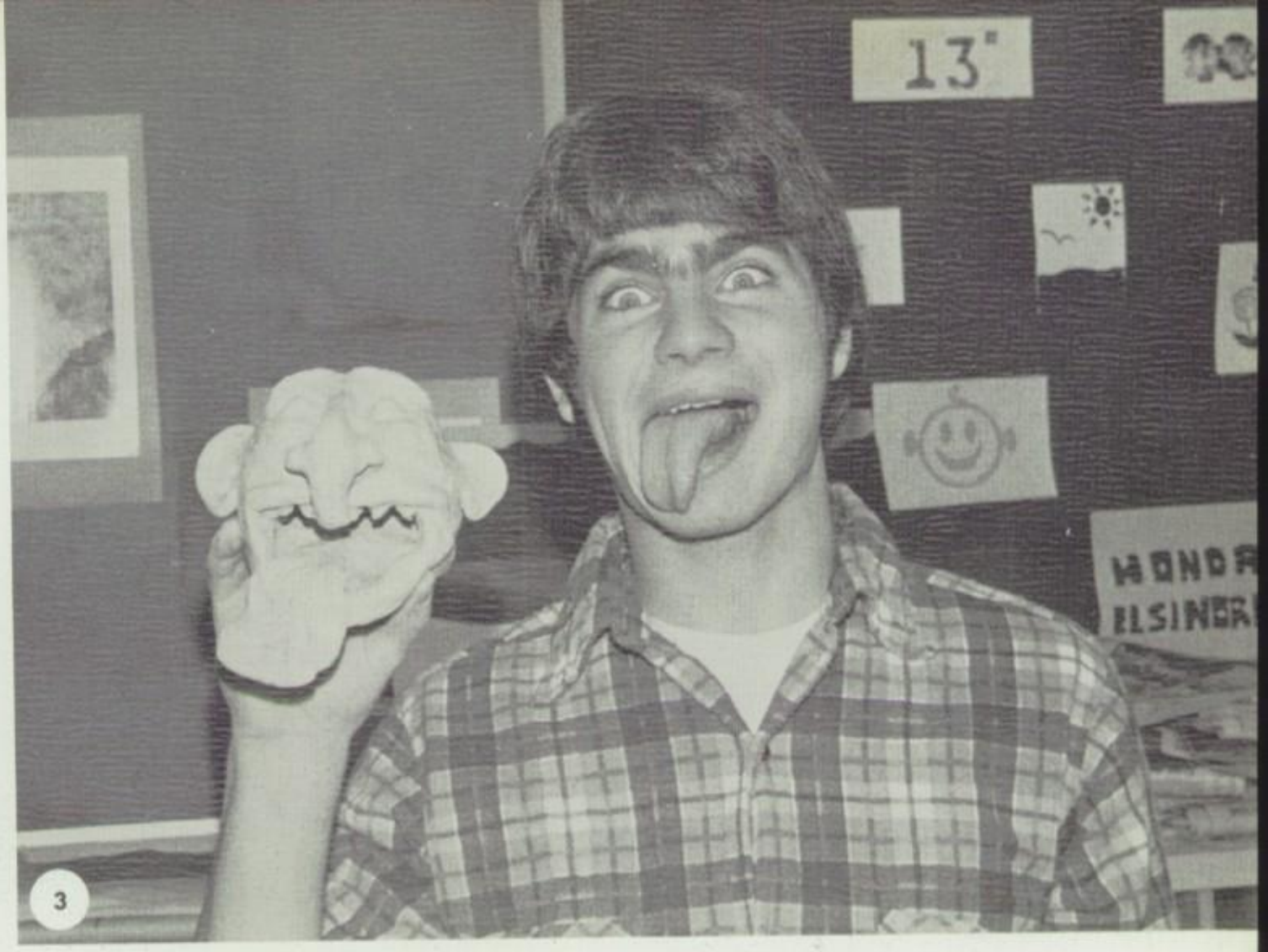
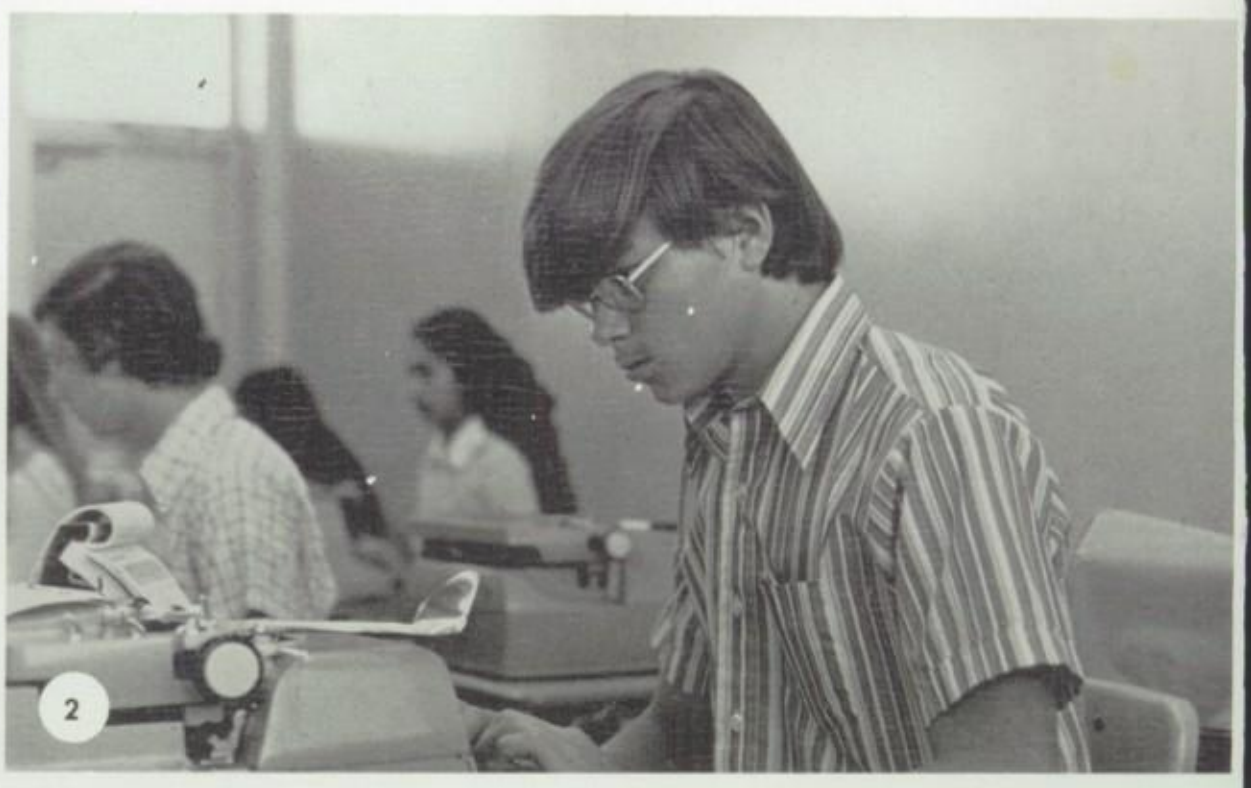
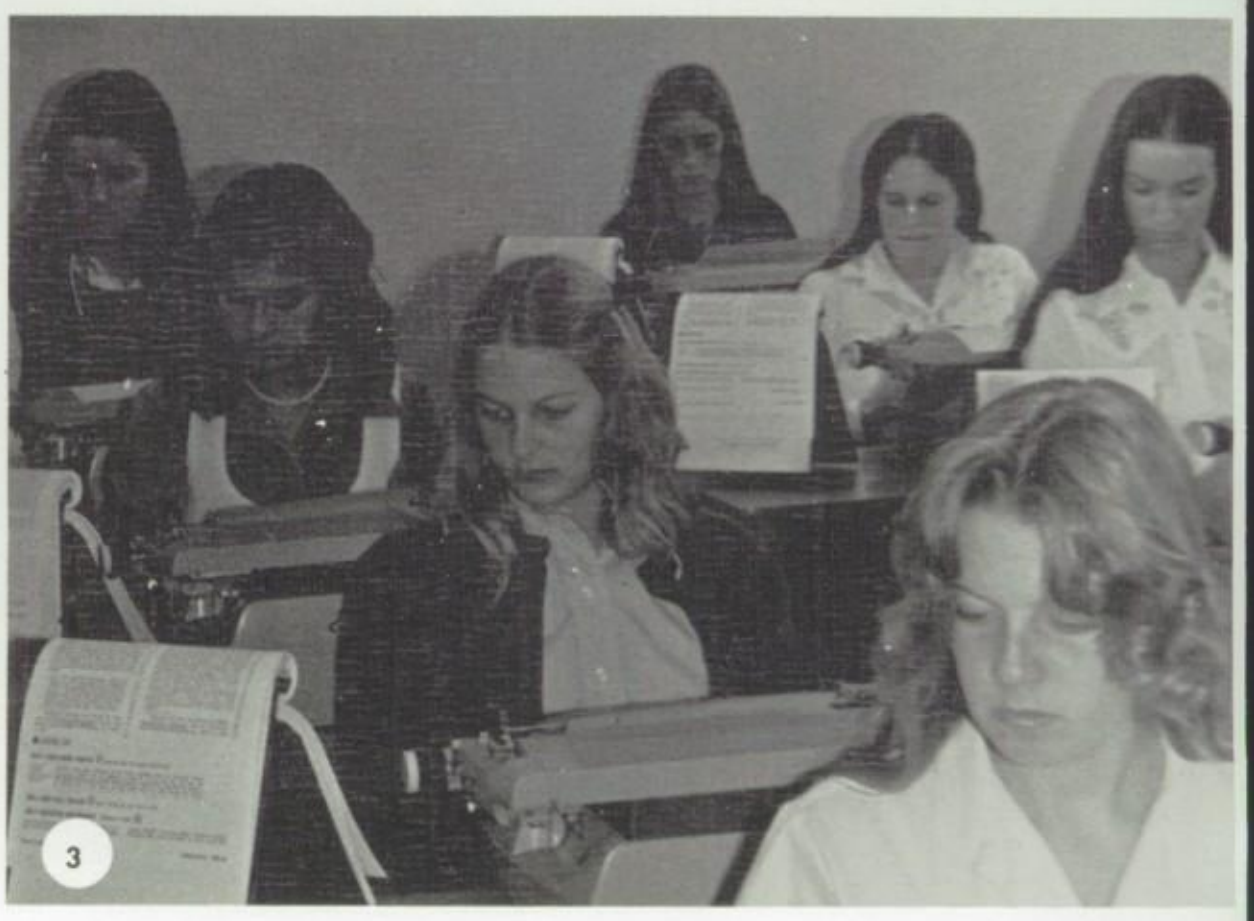


1. David has fond memories of mud pies as he kneads the clay. 2. Members of the football team spend their half-time decoupaging. 3. We take our art seriously. 4. Cathy carefully blots her linoleum print. 5. Display of student art work brightens the halls. 6. Concentration leads to a successful project. 7. Tom, dead in thought, adds a few details to his acrylic still life. 8. Miss Regali smirks in the background as Marilyn tries her hand at pottery. 9. Jane mixes her paint on her side of the mountains.





Most students and

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Department teachers will agree it wasn't quite as easy as it seems. Memorizing keyboards, graphing, filing, balancing checkbooks, keeping your accounts straight and remembering to move decimal points are just a few of the topics covered in business classes. But, in these classes are born the Rockefellers and Gettys of tomorrow.

Michelle,

I'm so glad I got to know you. But next year I'd like to know you better 'cause you're a real sweet person. Stay that way O.K? I've had a blast in the Youth Group. I know you have. Have a great summer, & if I don't see you, I'll see you next year when you're a Senior. Bye.

Love always,
Lynn Parise

Michelle,

Your a really nice person and I hope everything goes your way. Have a good summer

Pat Reardon

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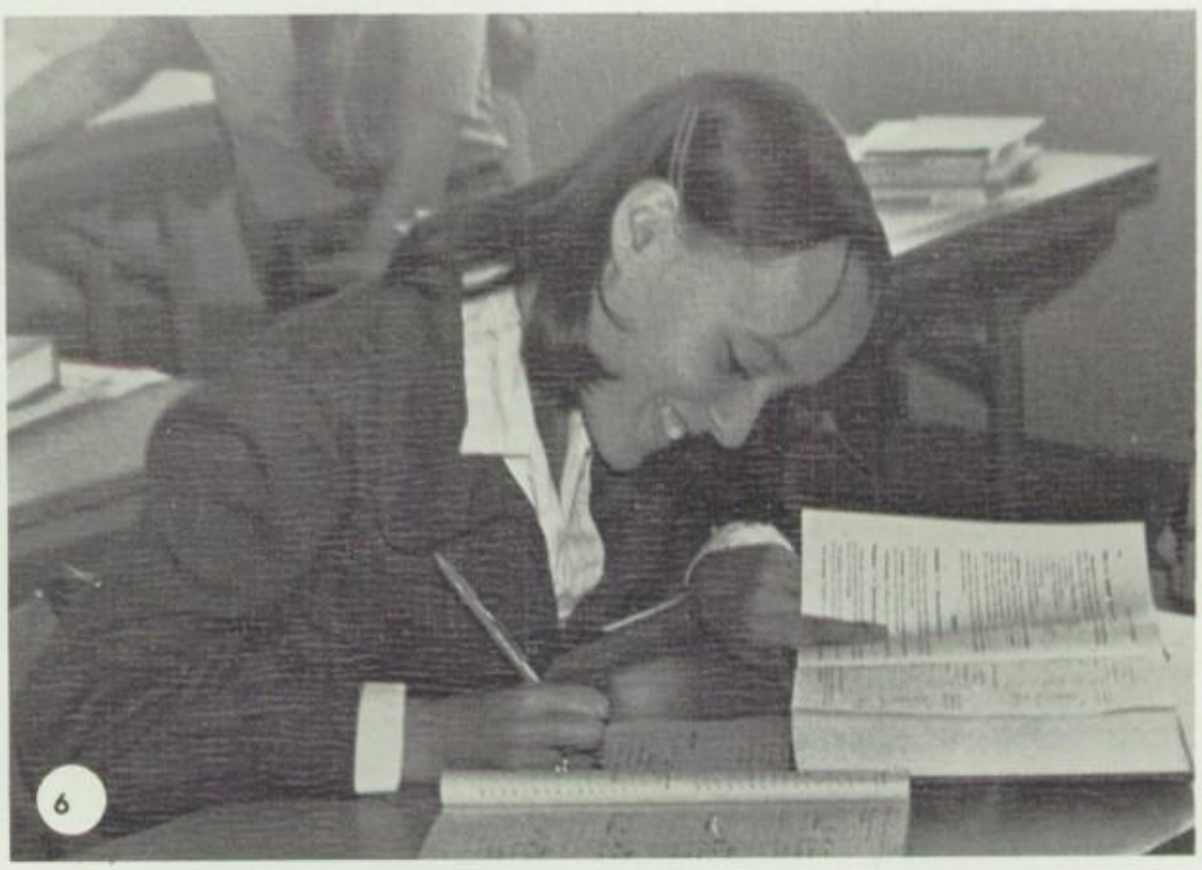
1. Suzanne nods off as she staples her thumb. 2. Tom Letus shows his ability as "The Keyboard Wizard." 3. A beginning typing class feels the satisfaction of nimble fingers on the keyboards. 4. Theresa explains the various intricacies of graphing. 5. Sylvia wonders who filed Crayons under "K." 6. Some bookkeepers, like Paula, enjoy their work.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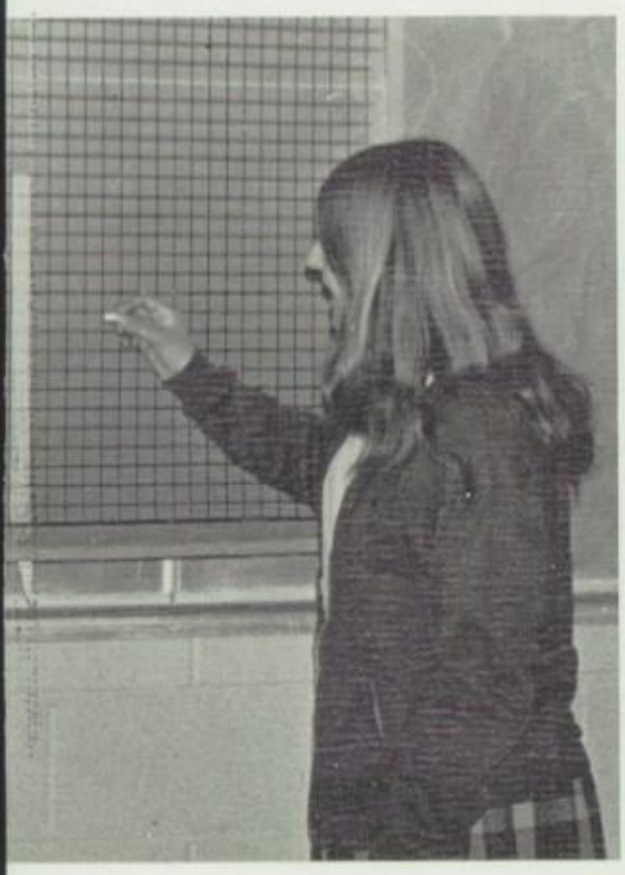

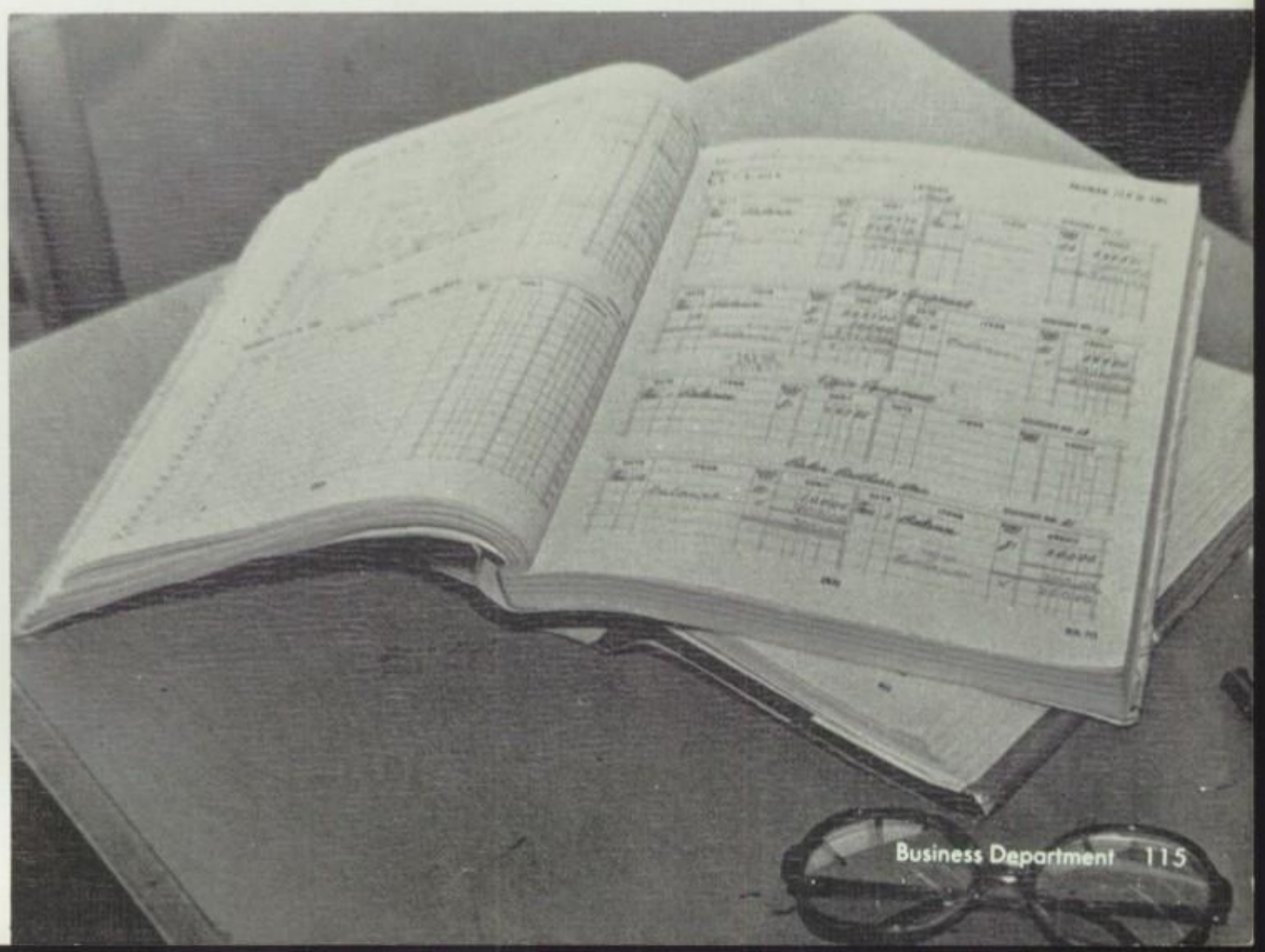

Can you write effectively? Can you

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what you read? Can you speak effectively? Do you use good grammar? Do you have a wide vocabulary? If you can honestly answer all these questions with "yes," you don't need English. But since we all know you can't, you'll be helped by English classes.

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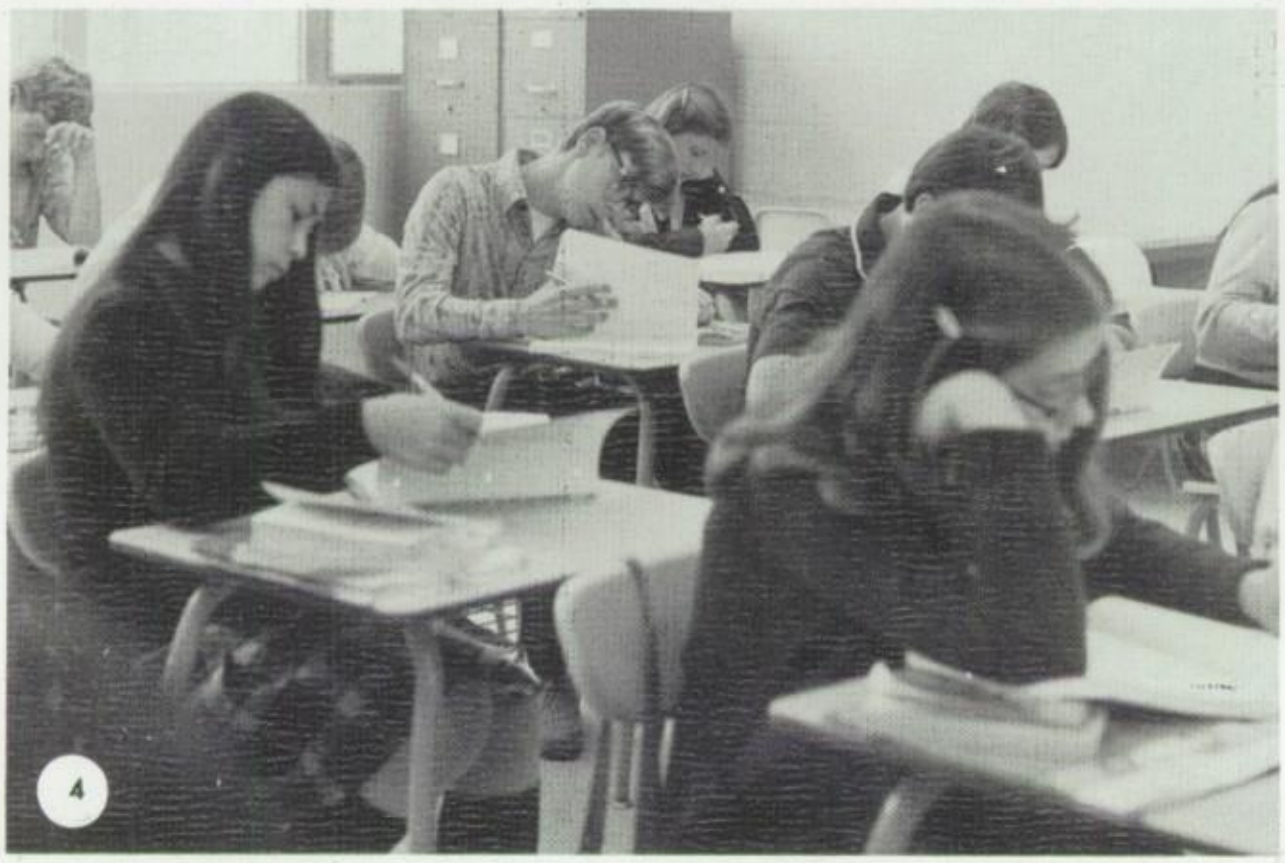
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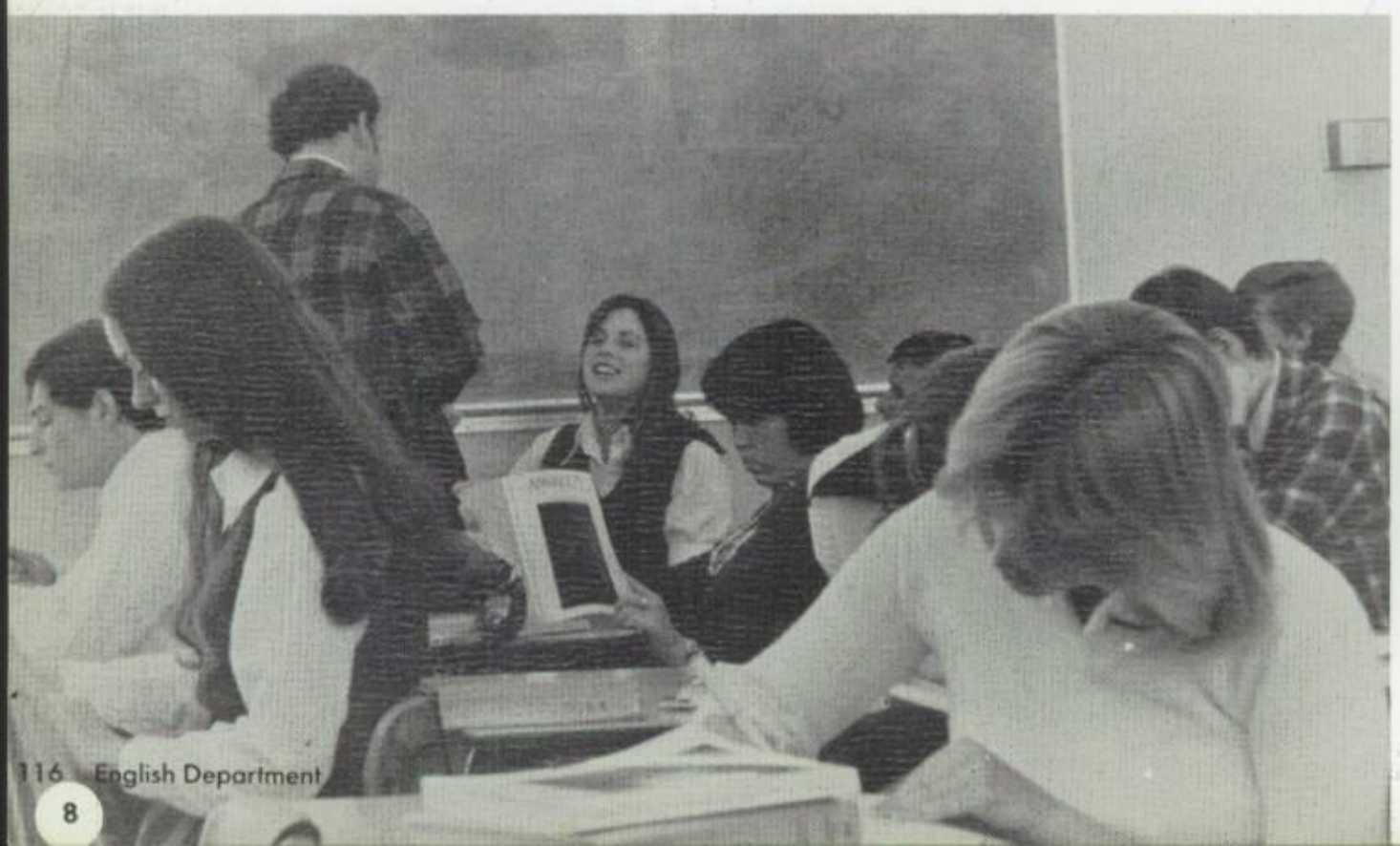
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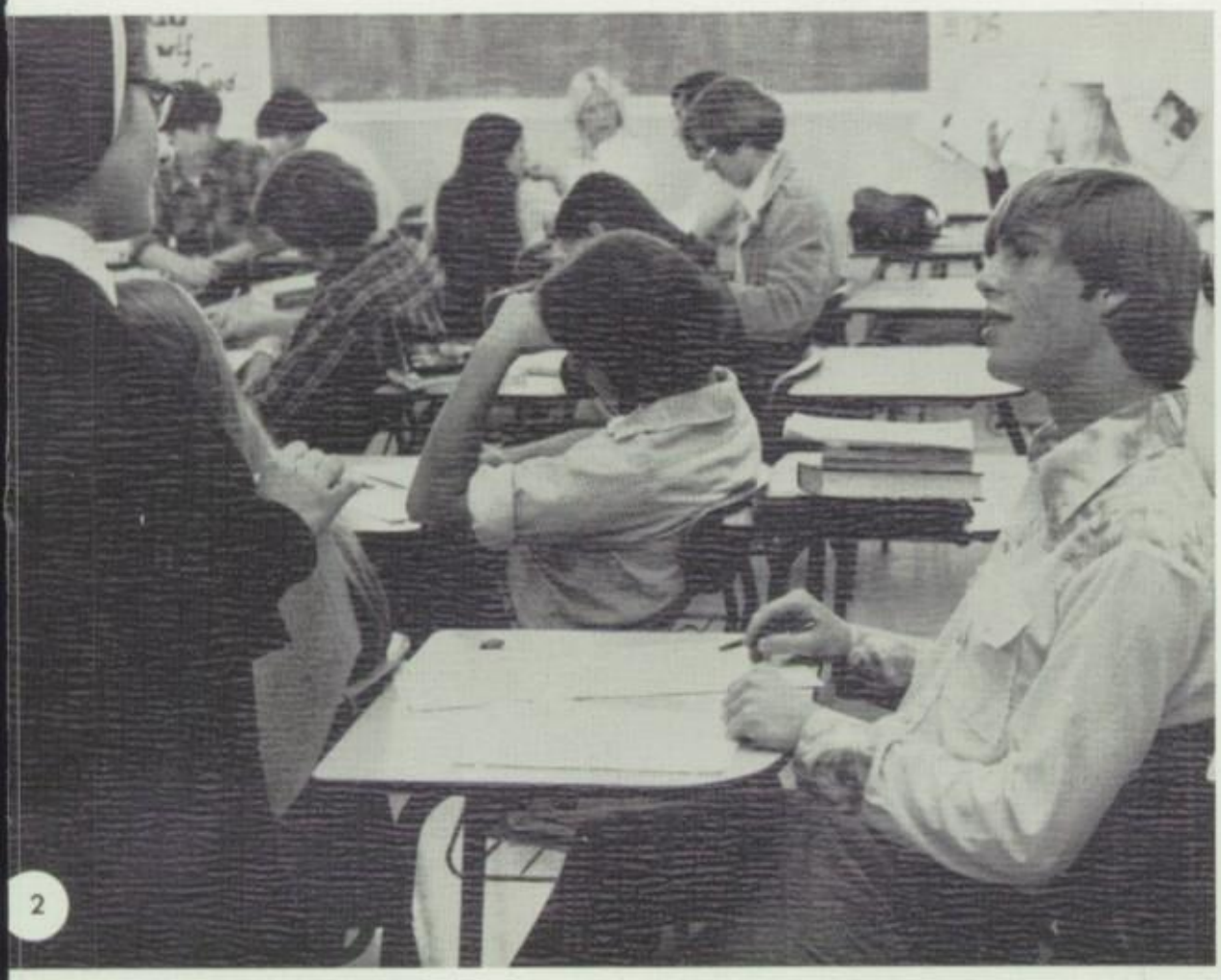

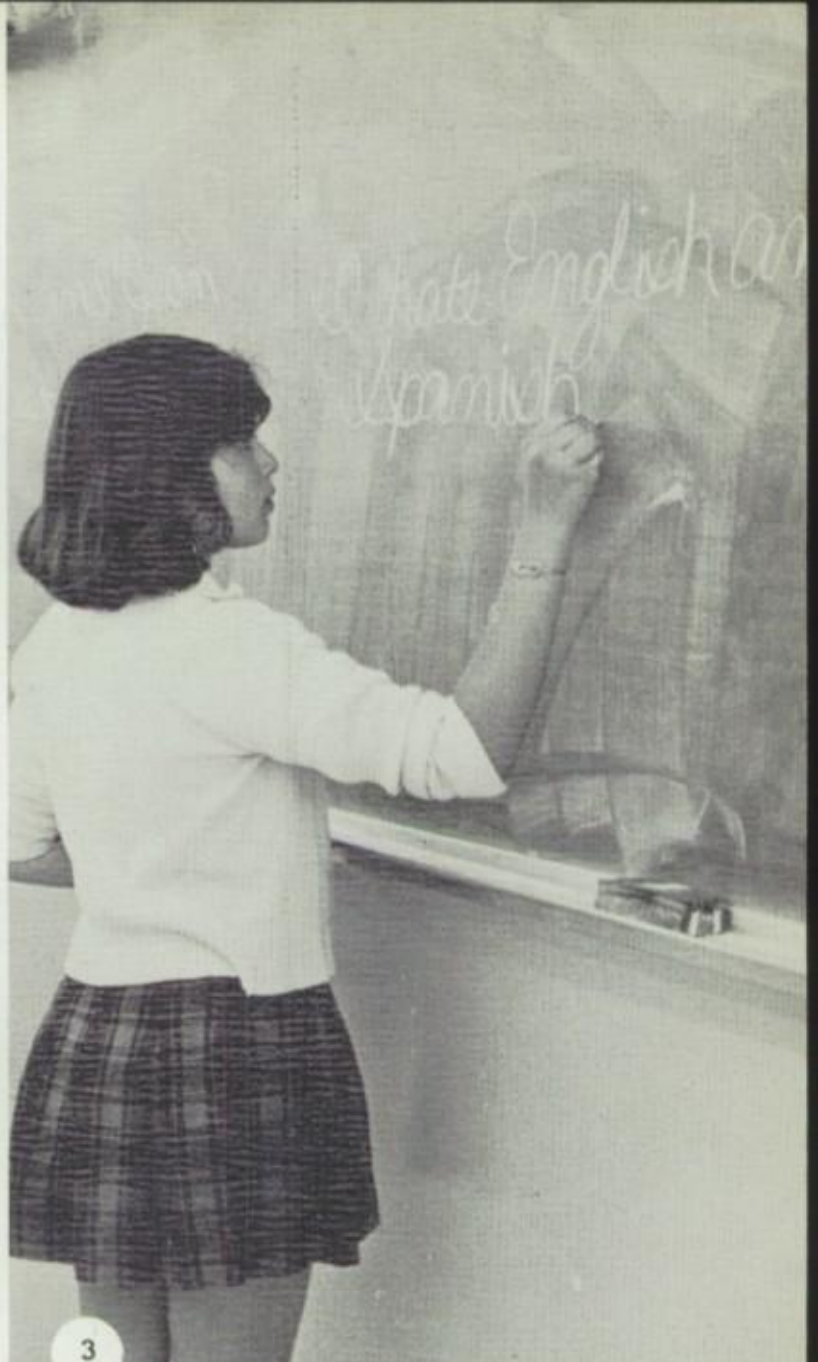

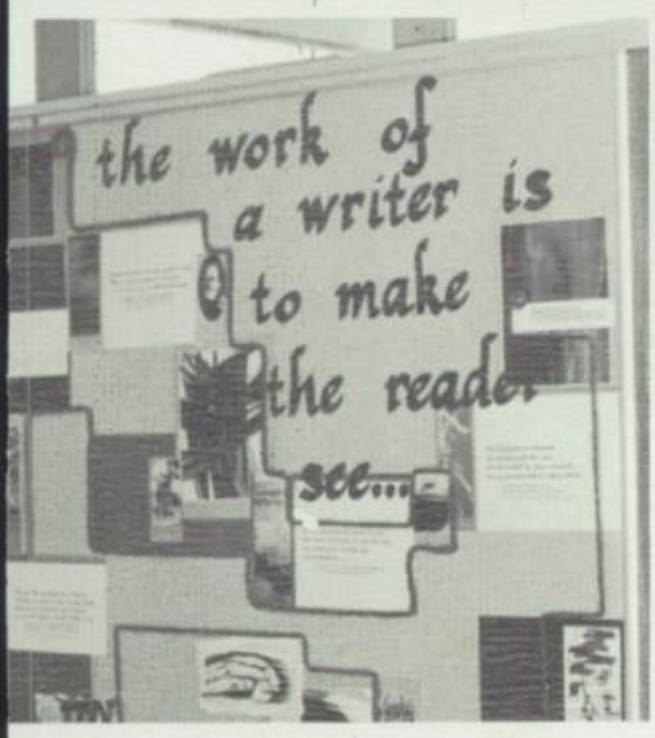

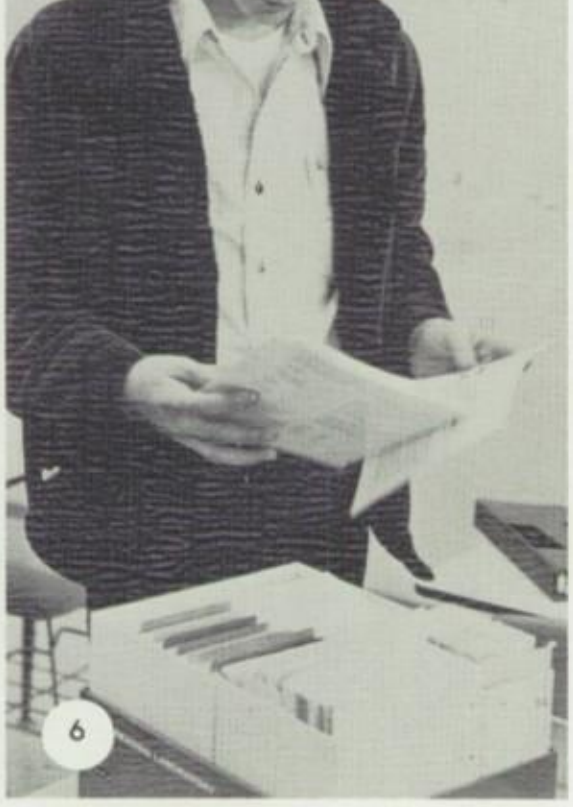

1. Robert Le Schofs is deeply engrossed in his book. 2. Liam and Sister discuss the role of Heathcliff in Wuthering Heights. 3. Stephanie learns how to use conjunctions and proper nouns. 4. No fair peeking, Dennis. 5. Brother Gerald presents his character analysis to eager Sophomores. 6. Pat looks over another S.R.A. packet in reading experience. 7. Tim finds that one develops an unusally short concentration span when studying subordinate clauses. 8. Poe really turns Liz on.

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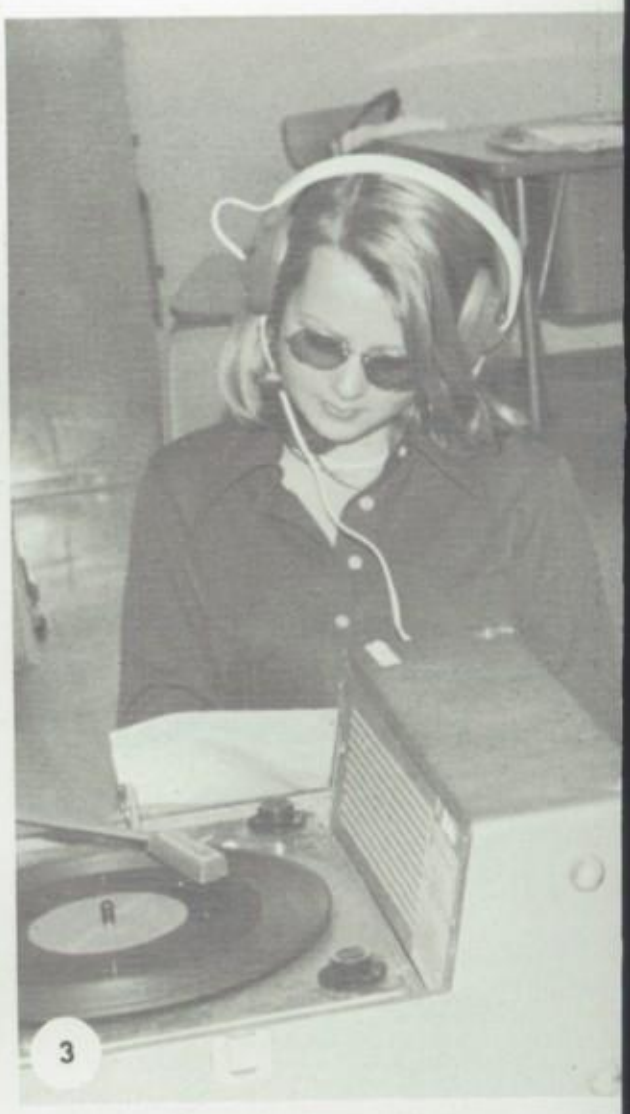

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"Hola! Que Tal?

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Good Morning!" "How are you? What is your name? How are things going? Give my regards to your family. Excuse me, I have to leave, Good Bye!" Language students may seem a bit slow to learn judging from the beginning dialogue. But, days of verbs, conversation, translation, and memorization prove that it's not easy. English is replaced by "foreign" words; the switch from a common tongue to a new dialect takes much time. The outcome is an understanding of other people and places in the world.

Michelle,
You know I find it really hard to write in yearbooks, How can one say it all - and with meaning? Perhaps it's impossible. My wish for you is that you'll always keep smiling - and that someone will always smile back. May you always have a good morning - every day!
Reach out -

Lots of love,
Ann
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1. "Bonjour! Je m'apelle Megan. Je demeure dans Santa Paula. Et vous?" 2. Cathy gets help from Mrs. Perez. 3. Susan improves her conversational French. 4. Spanish 1 tries hard to coordinate their woras with their actions. 5. "All this work steams up my glasses." 6. Steve wonders if that is really what that sentence means in English. Peter knows it is. 7. Spanish 2 students try to imitate the strange sounds on the tape. 8. Mike isn't sure which card tells the story. 9. Spanish III students have advanced to reading magazines in a foreign language. 10. Jeanine, armed with her French dictionary, battles with the translation. 11. Mrs. Tennyson's Spanish Spelldown brings learning and laughter.

SUM time during the day, most students attend a math class. Math teaches students to use logic to solve complex problems involving such things as trapezoids, functions, acute angles, cosines, scalene triangle, tangents, the difference of two squares, logarithms, graphs, and theorems. It also involves addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. If a student can make it through all this stuff and much more, he can make good grades in math class, and reward himself with a piece of pi.

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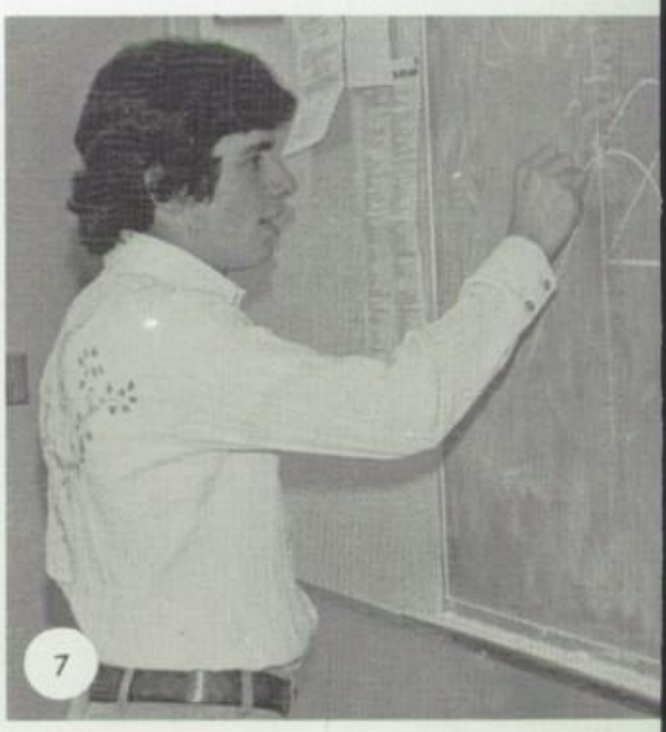

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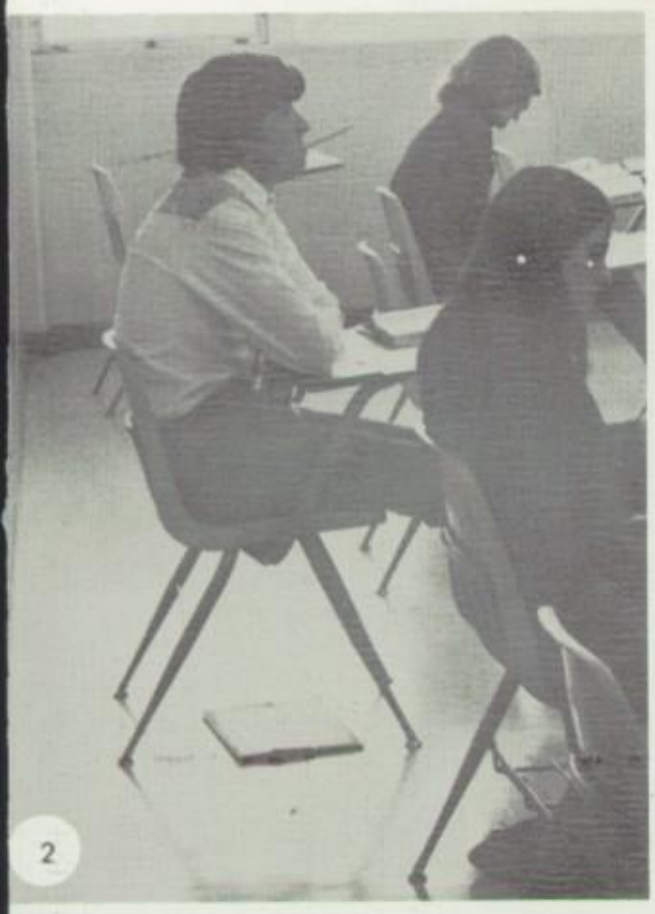

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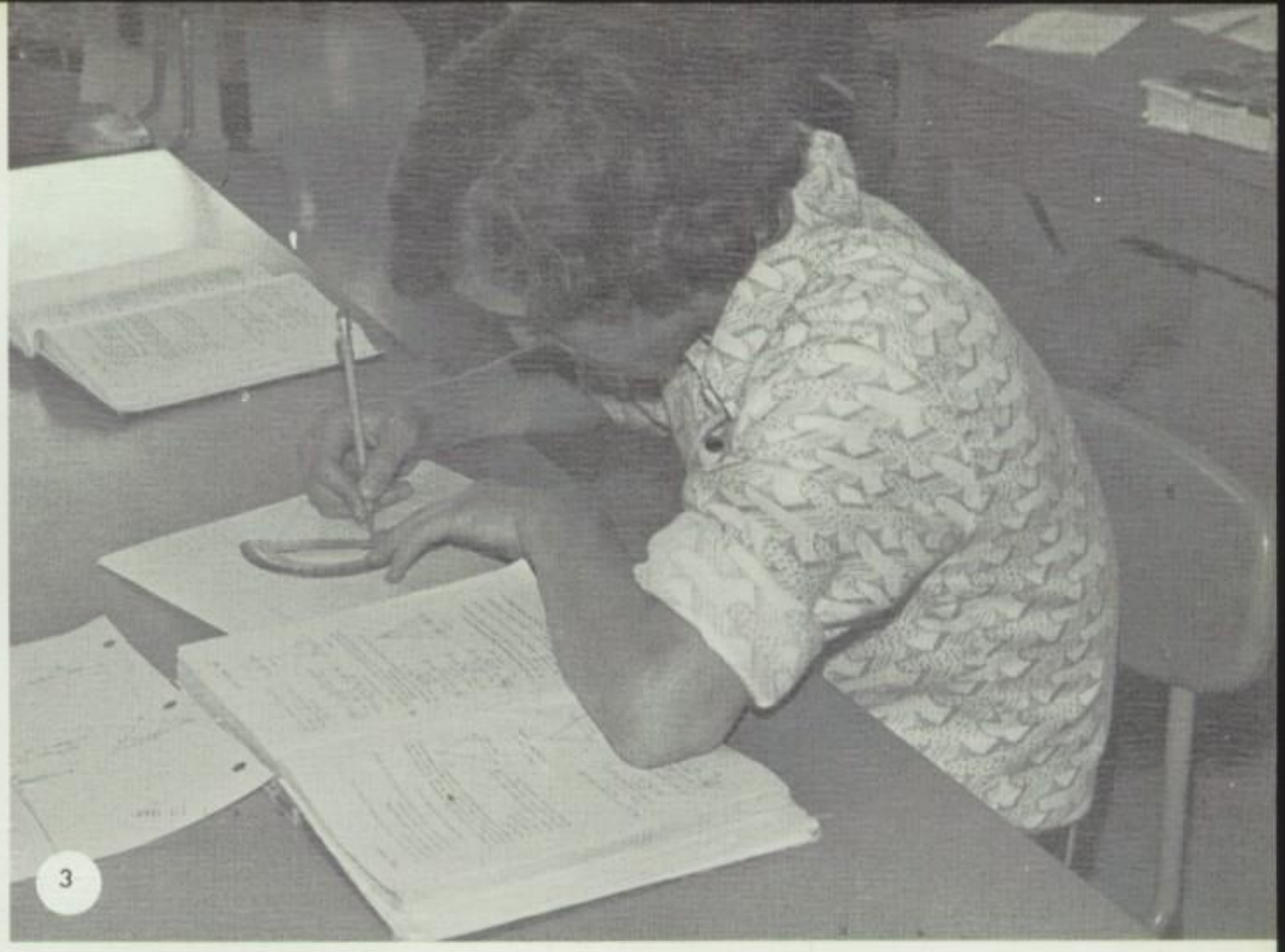

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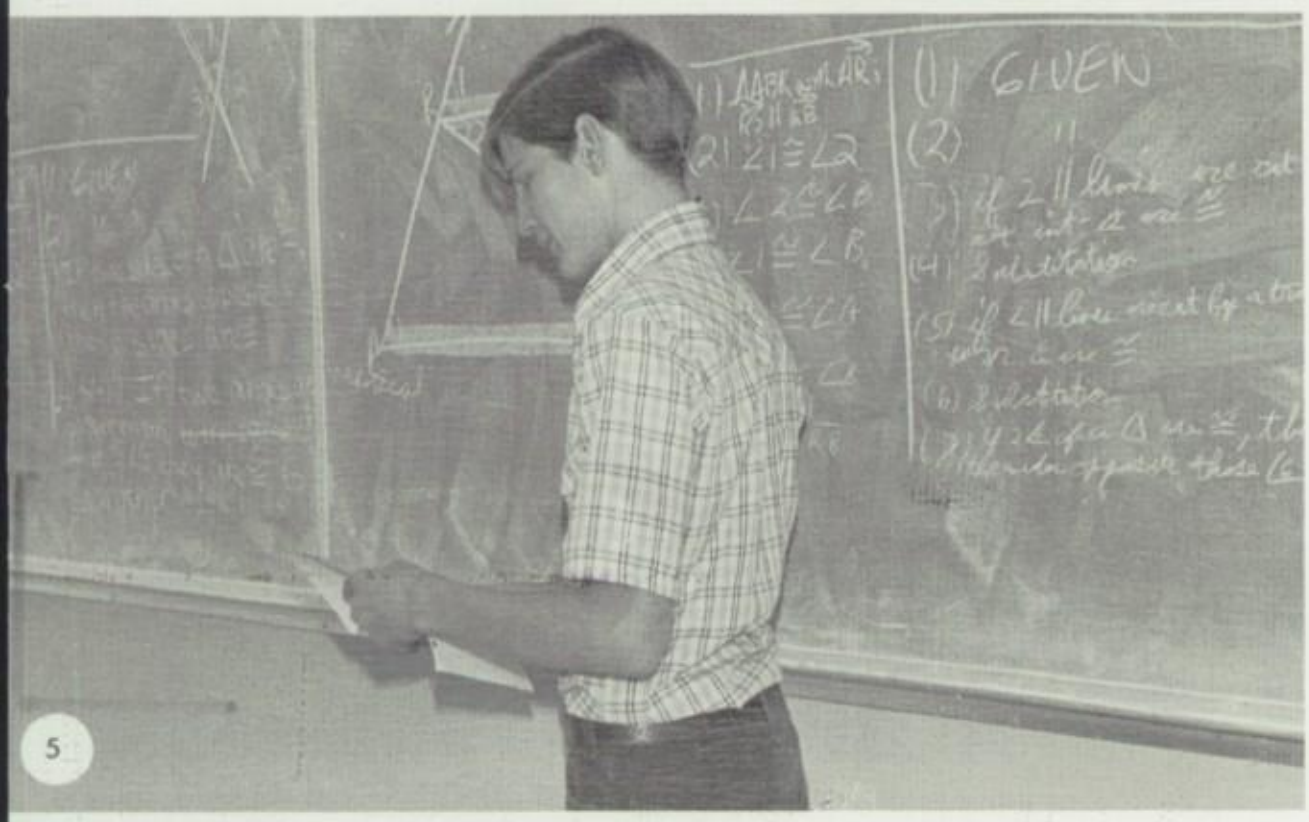

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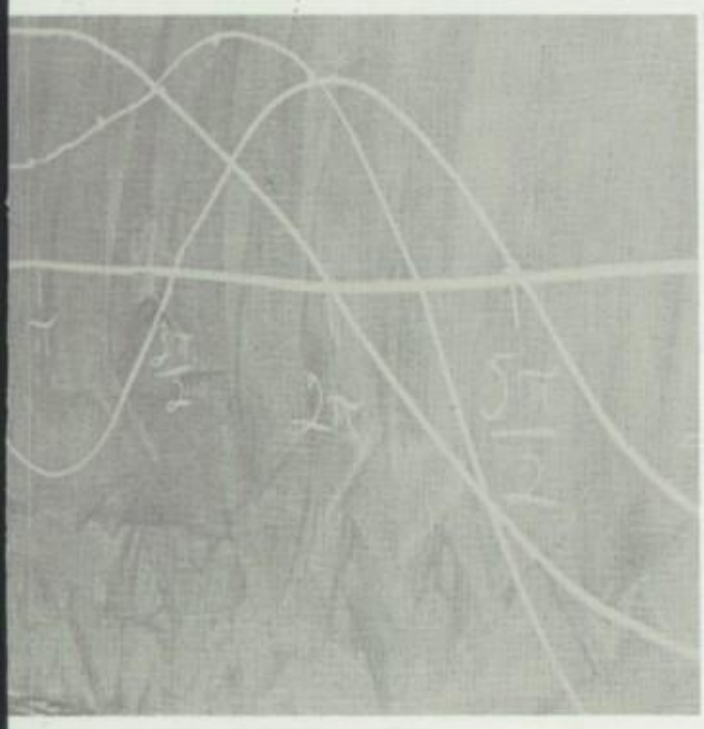

1. Gretchen: "Will I ever get this done?" 2. Mike ponders the problems of logical thinking. 3. Carefully constructed triangles could lead to a prosperous future (?) 4. Frances finds the proof perplexing. 5. John goes over it once again. 6. Eddie: "Days like this make it all worthwhile." 7. Mark uses sines and cosines to create a Tidal Wave.

A call of **LET'S GO** from Mrs. Navarro sends the girls scurrying out to the track before they are sentenced to an extra lap. After a lazy run, the girls return to the gym, where the lilting strains of "Oh, Susannah" are heard. Soon they are merrily skipping to the music. Meanwhile, next door, the boys begin to saunter toward the playing field. En route, the seniors indulge in a friendly tussle with the freshmen while sophomores and juniors decide on the game for the day. However, the boys do buckle down after a while to a program of moaning, groaning, and calisthenics. And year after year, the P.E. students keep coming back for more.

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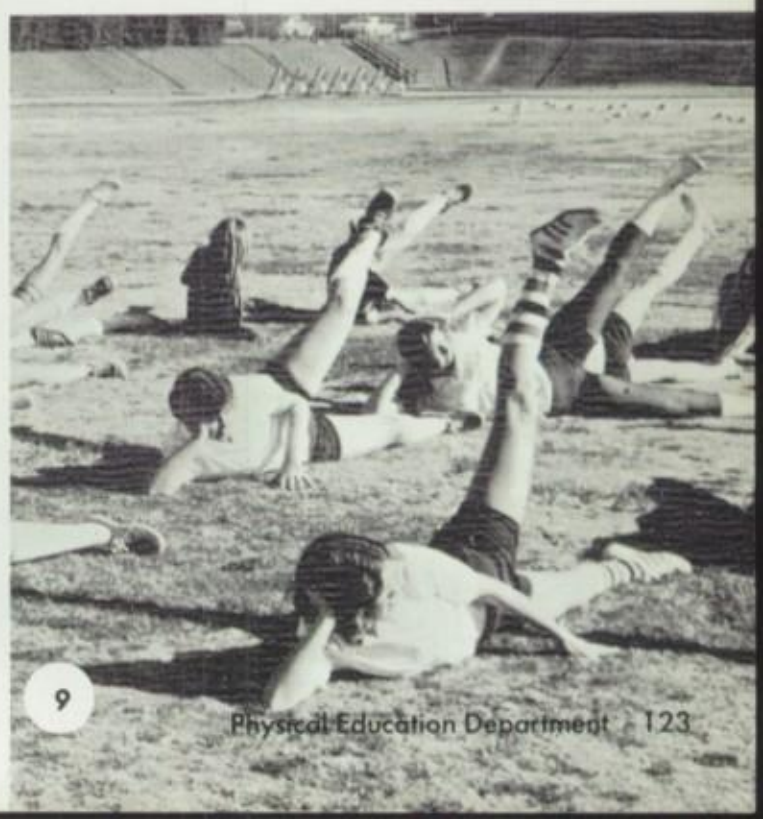
1. Uuhhh! 2. Mark Knox is attacked by a gang of ruffians. 3. The nimble-footed ladies of period four boogie down to the Mexican Hat Dance. 4. Gina's cartwheel turns out to be more of a flat tire. 5. The nimble-footed gentlemen of period five engage in an aggressive game of soccer. 6. "I'm stuck, my mood ring is caught in the net!" 7. Jimmy drives in hard for a basket. 8. Michelle looks incredulous as she thinks, "We gotta go around that whole thing." 9. "Lift those legs, girls" sounds the booming voice of Mrs. Navarro.



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What should I do when hassled by **LIFE?** Is **JESUS** important? Can't I live in my own little world? Do I have to get involved in the big one? How should I get my values? This is what the Religion Department is all about. Questions like these are part of everyone's life, and the answers that people reach are what make all the difference. Whether it is joining a group discussion or studying the Bible, or participating in a special Mass, students are exploring these questions in a spirit of Christian Fellowship. But this spirit doesn't happen in Religion class alone — it's there in every aspect of a students life.

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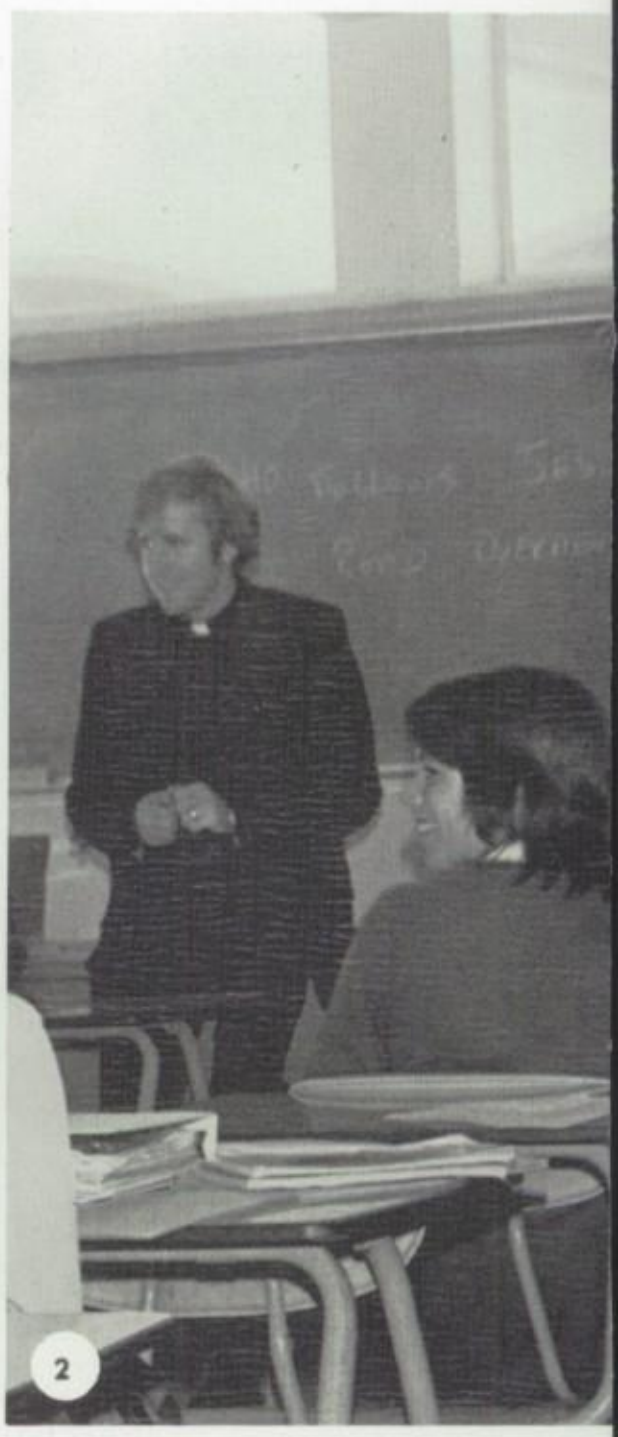
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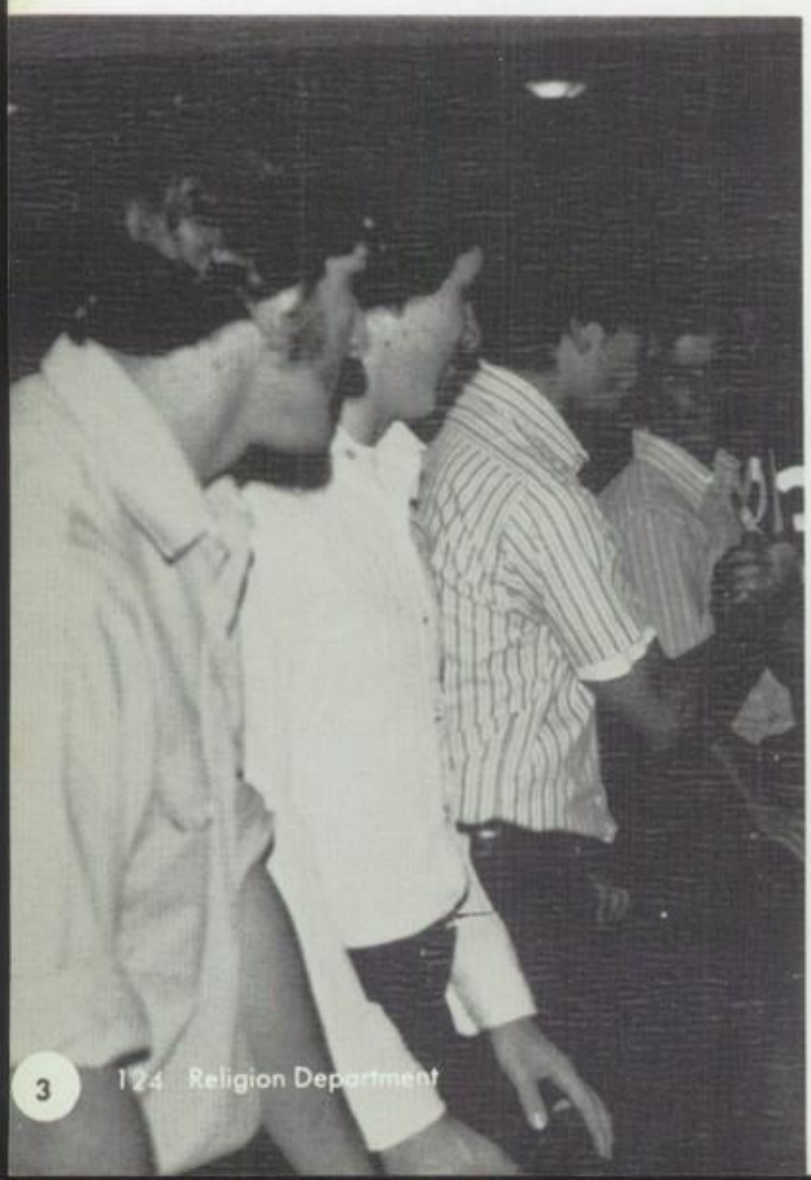
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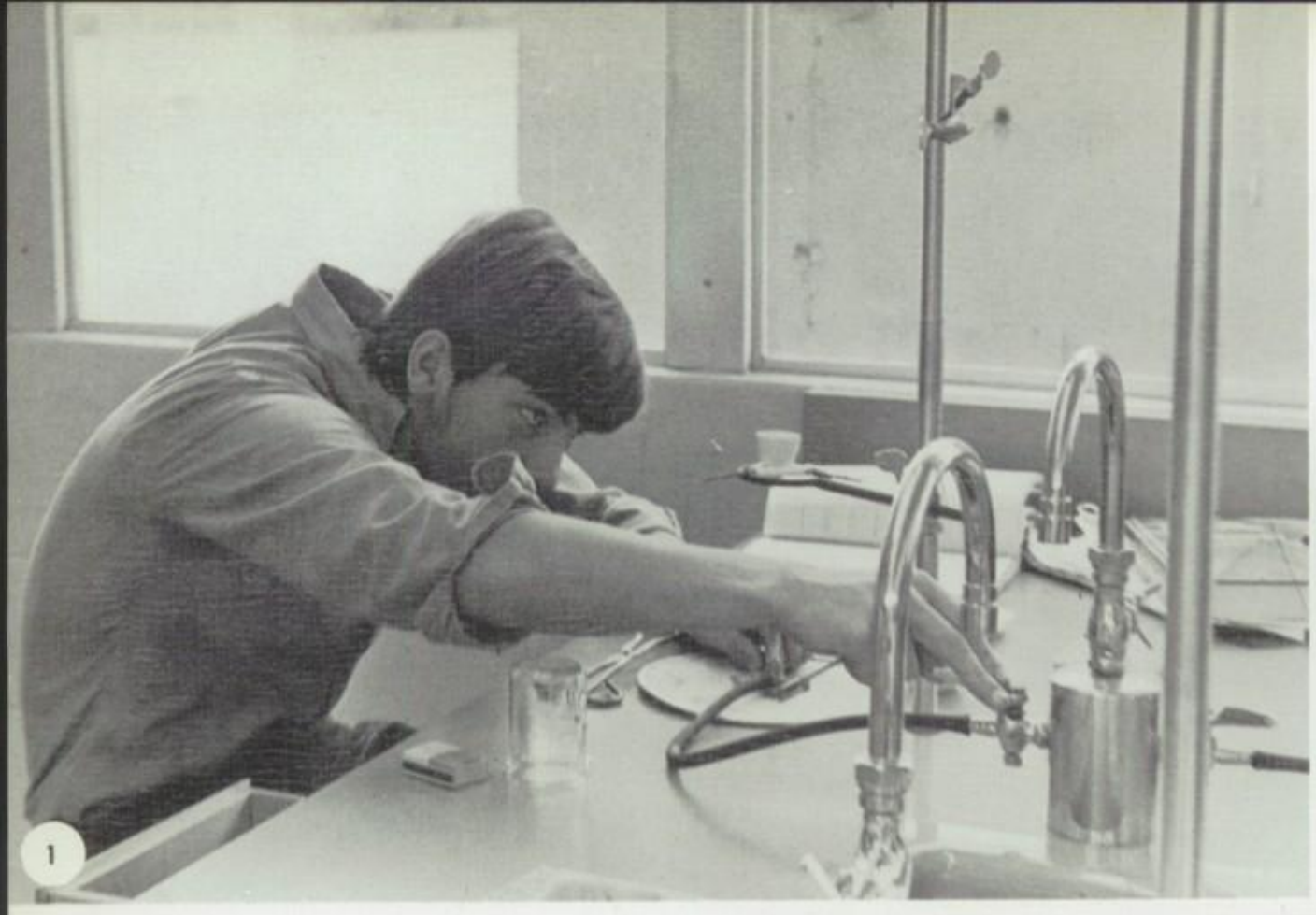
1. Lisa, Cathy, and Christina search the words of the Bible as they study the personality of Jesus. 2. Br. Thomas asks, "What are you willing to die for?" 3. Seniors greet each other, "Peace, my friends." 4. Tammy and Michelle find the Bible a tool in their everyday lives. 5. Anthony reads the Epistle at a Junior Class Mass. 6. Sandi ponders while Denise questions. 7. Sophomores, Jody, Jim, Mike and Matt explain the symbolism of their banner at their Class Mass.



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Bubble, bubble, **TOIL** and **STRUGGLE.** As any science student can tell you, whether it be $BaCl_2 \cdot 2H_2O$, harmonic motion, or how a fetal pig ticks, it all amounts to a lot of hard work and fun. Although there were some close calls, the science department managed to survive with no casualties and the labs intact. And the students can march on, confident in their knowledge of Avogadro's number, mitosis and meiosis, and centripetal force.

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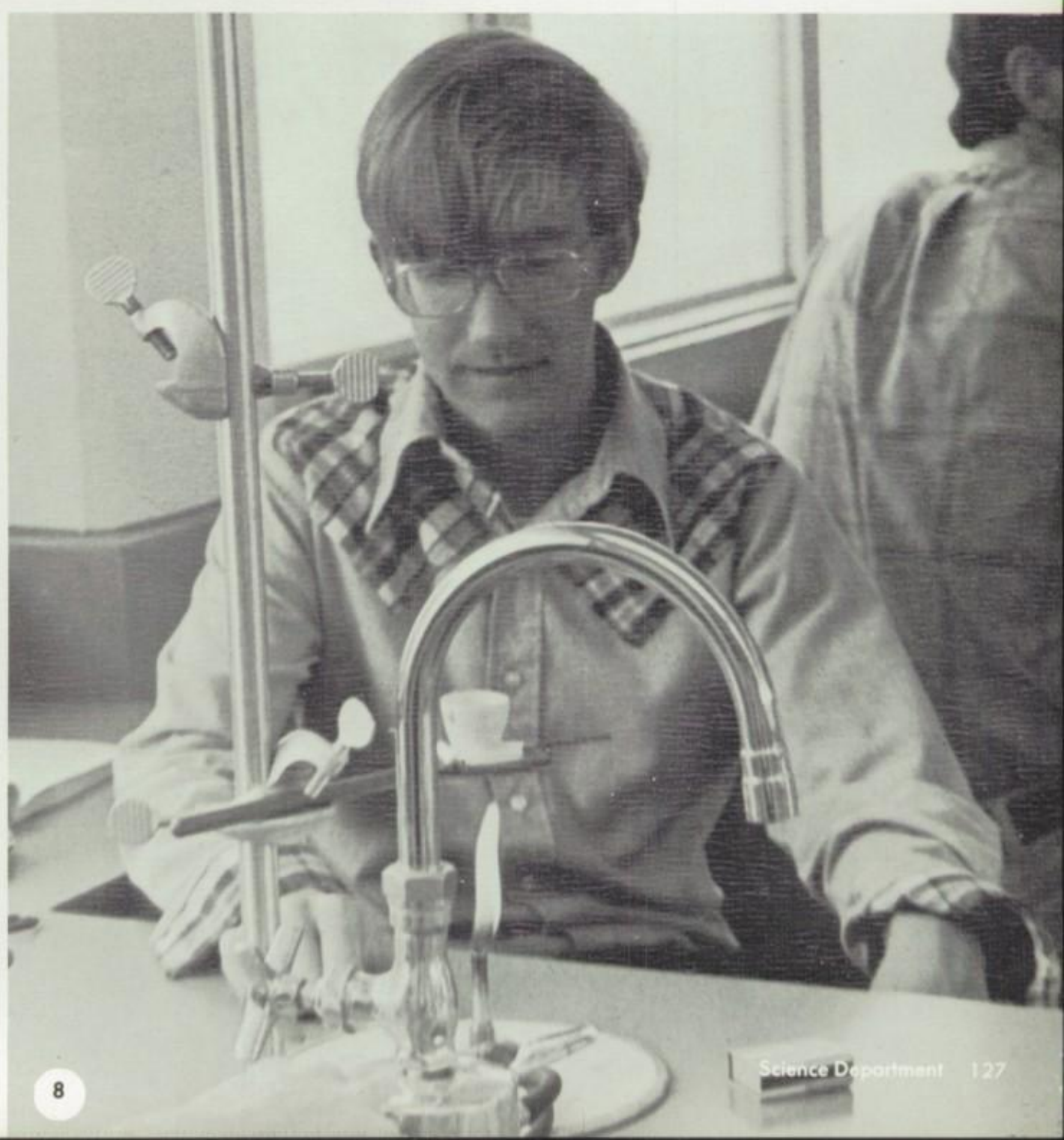
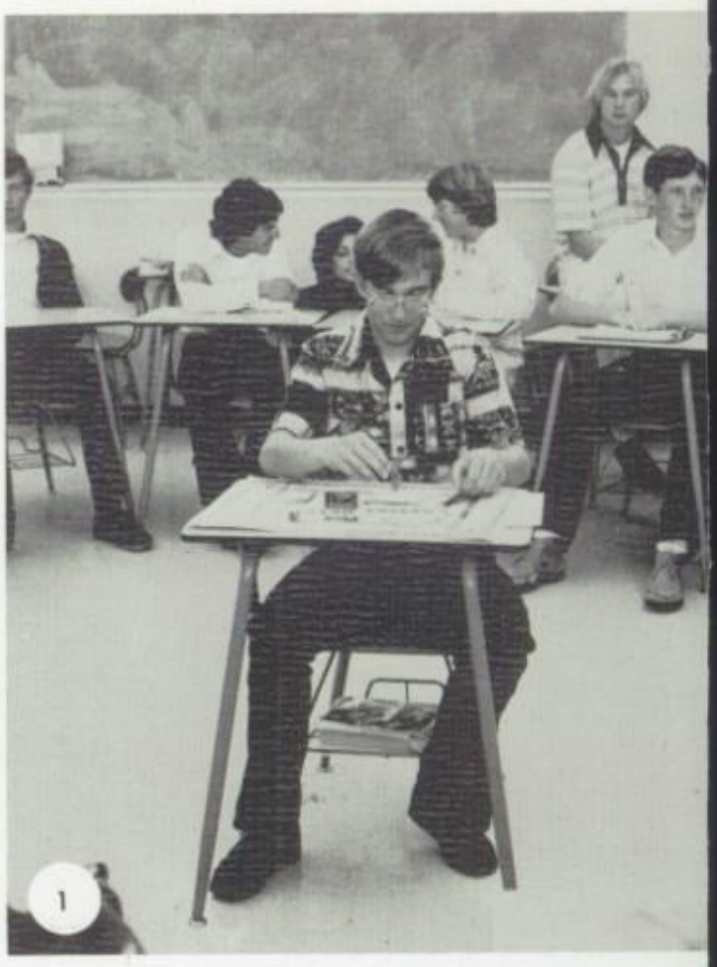
1. A mad scientist is born! 2. Honors Biology student, Pam Winfrey, is rewarded with a molasses and yeast milkshake. 3. Gina hugs the Sophomore mascot from a distance. 4. Paul and George experiment with the harmonic motion of a spring. 5. Physic students, Karen and Jane, measure the effect of various masses on a rubber band. 6. Wally snickers as Bob catches 40 winks in Chemistry. 7. "See? I told you pigs have clavicles!" 8. A pyromaniac at work — Peter Meyers.



PEOPLE of yesterday, people of today, people in government, or just plain folks, all are encountered in Social Studies. Even though lightning never strikes twice in the same place, it is always good to learn from others' mistakes. Fromthe rise and fall of the Roman Empire to Watergate, the follies of all mankind are paraded before us. History is in the making and people make history. Will we be a part of tomorrow's newsmaking history?



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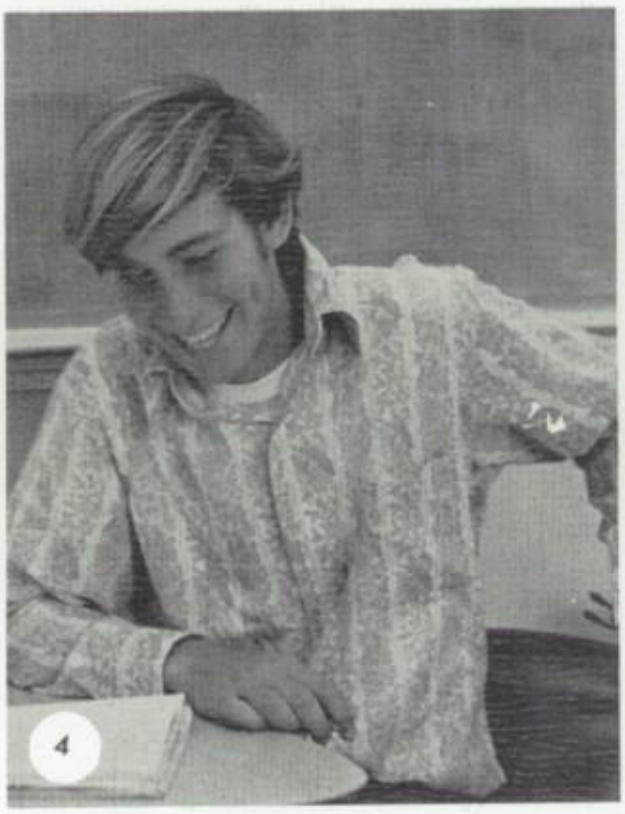

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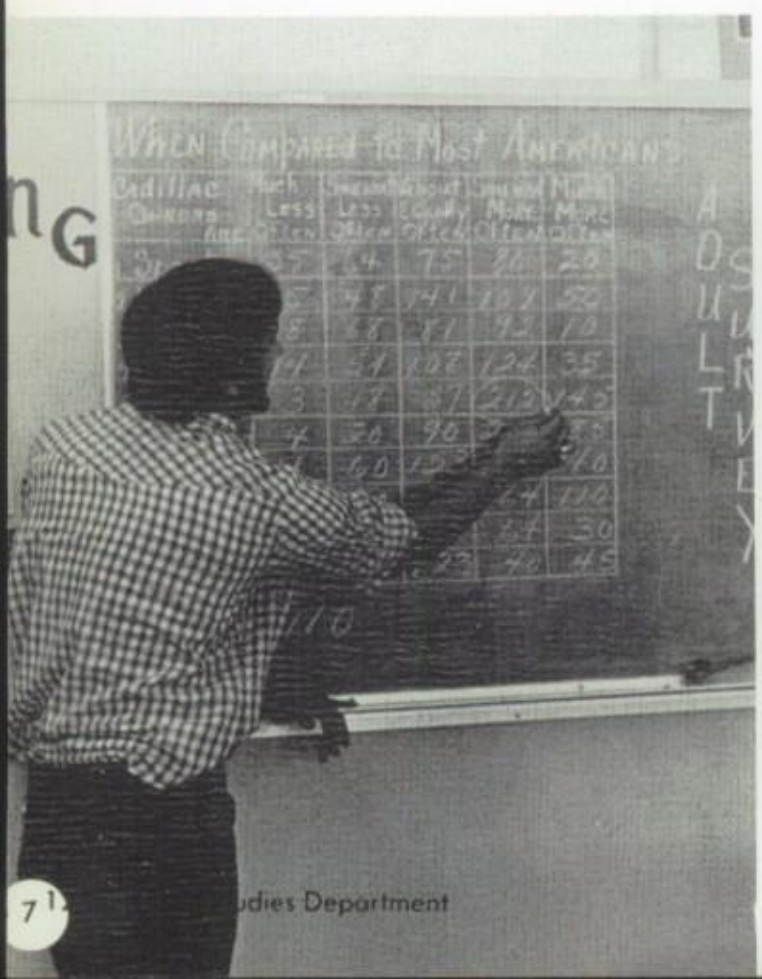

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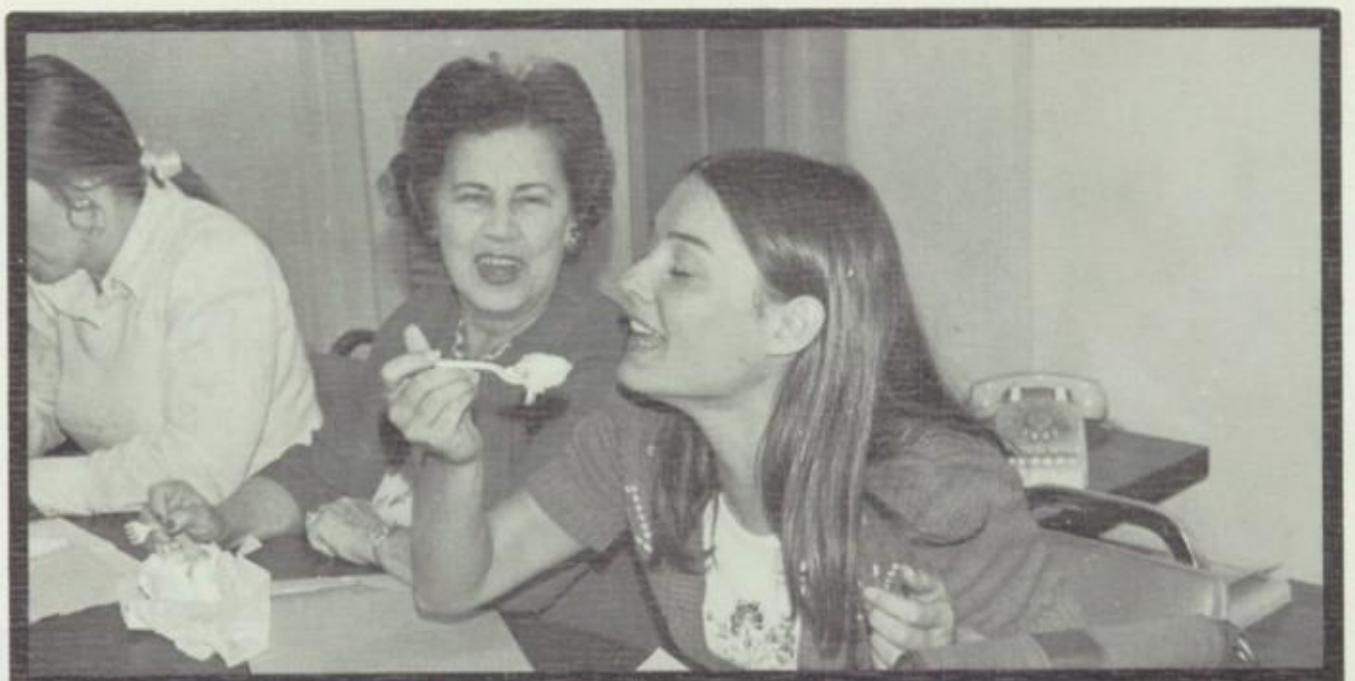
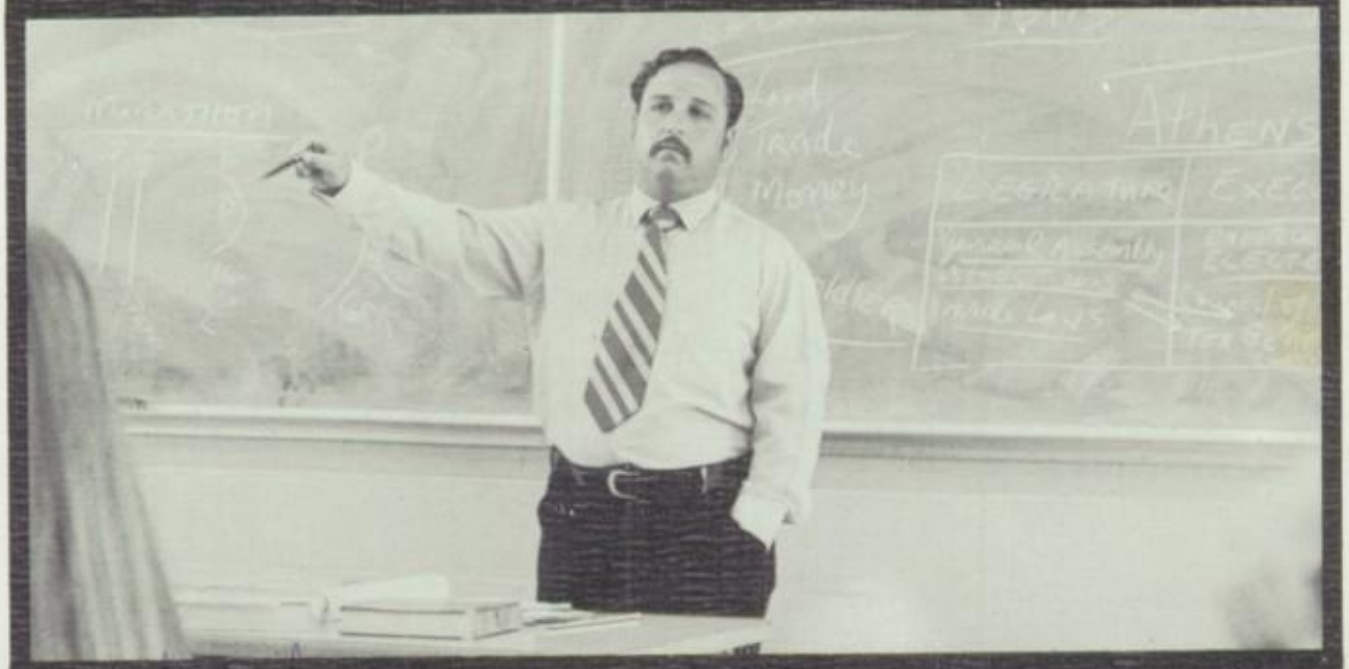
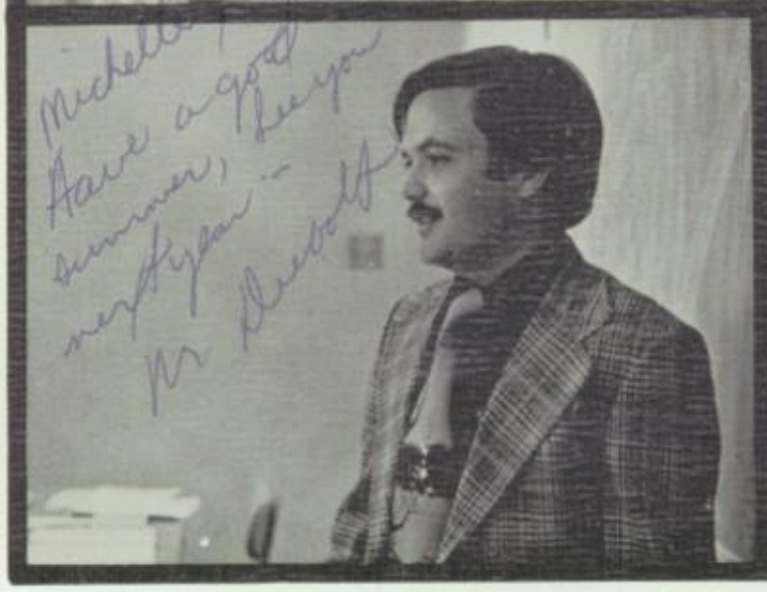
1. Peter, "the omnipotent," rolls the dice to determine the fate of Big Business. 2. The "Junior" executives of the Cereal Co. of America ponder whether to make one million honestly or three million dishonestly . . . 3. While the Memory Corporation forgets the topic. 4. Mike finds Ivan the Terrible terribly funny. 5. South of the border delicacies tempt the Sophomore taste buds in Cultural History Class. 6. Sociology students test their perception: "Can you find the cat?" 7. While charting a Civics Survey, Greg dreams of owning a Cadillac so that he can be "Somewhat more often." 8. Questions on Current Events fail to stump Freshman Team 1, who rack up another forty points. 9. The male chauvinist attitudes of Liz's classmates, sends the adrenalin rushing through her veins.







Life at St. Bonaventure is influenced more by the

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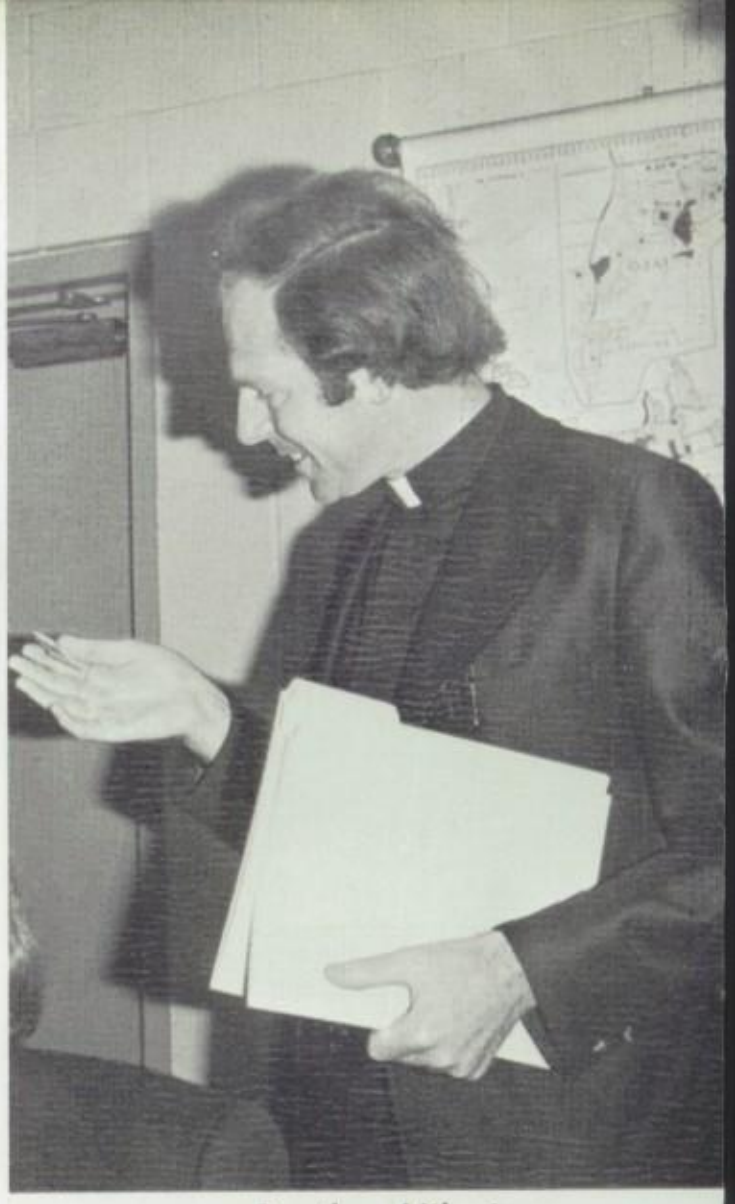
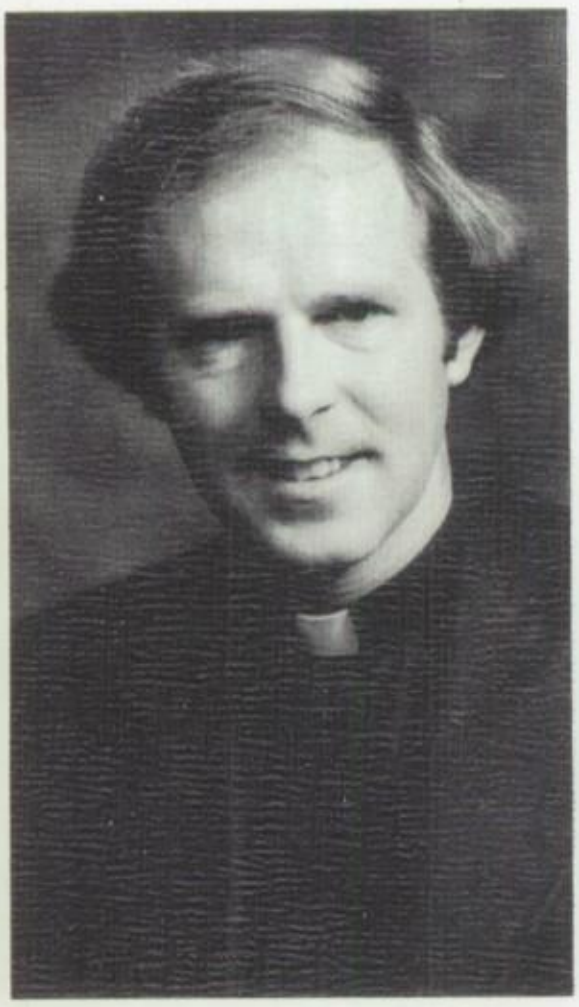
than by any other group. So we ask ourselves, "What influences the faculty?" Some of the obvious answers are T.V., books, newspapers, religion, and the people the teachers know (including students). Are the teachers also influenced by the stars? Whether one believes in astrology or not, he might be interested in some of the things the horoscope has to say about his favorite teachers.

DEDICATION, intelligence, proficiency . . . these are a few characteristics of our Brother Hilarion. This is Brother's ninth year here at St. Bonaventure. He has worked his way up from Dean of Discipline to Vice-Principal and finally, in January, 1976, to Principal. Brother is well qualified for the job, having a B.A. in Philosophy, a Master's Degree in School Administration and, above all, being the Provincial of the Franciscan Brothers. We are very fortunate to have him as part of our Administration at Saint Bonaventure.



Brother Hilarion

Principal
Religion 12
Senior Class Advisor
Religion Department Chairperson



sagittarius: independent, honest, sincere, candid, good-natured, friendly, lucky, intuitive, adventurous, impatient, irresponsible, restless, procrastinating

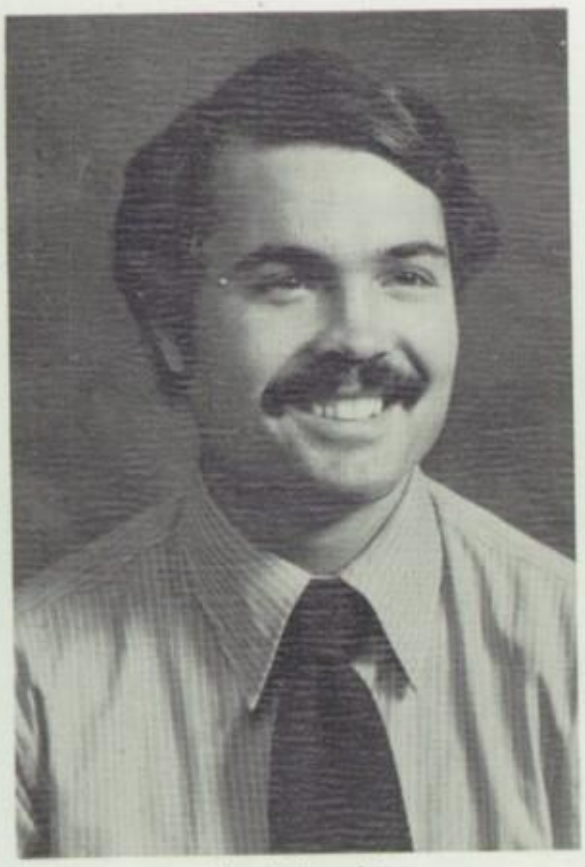
Brother Thomas

Vice-Principal
Religion 10
History 9
Sophomore Class Advisor

Mrs. Perez

Spanish 1, 2, and 3
Foreign Language Department
Chairperson

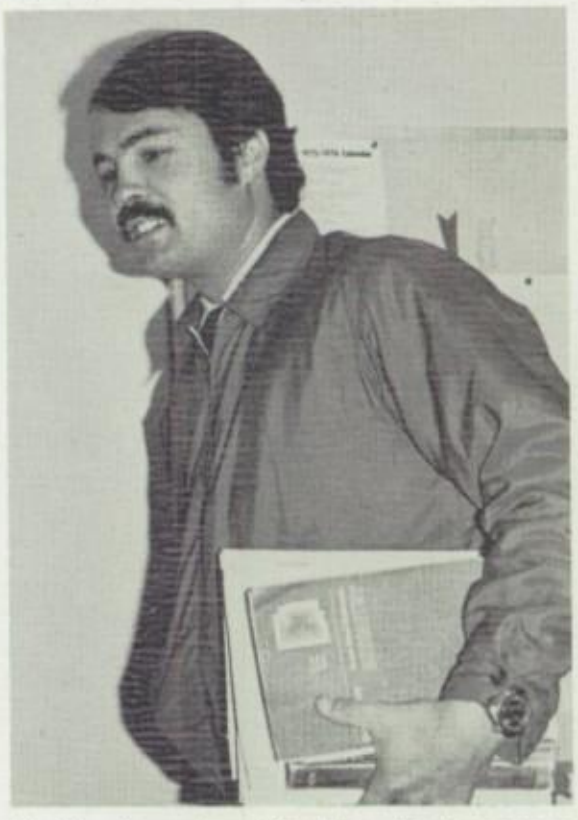
"Go away, Miss Glatt, it's Monday morning."



Mr. Hamlin

Math Essentials
Algebra 1
Geometry
Sophomore Class Advisor

Mrs. Perez: "Let's go cruisin' in my la bomba."



Mr. Hamlin rushes off to his refresher course in geometry.

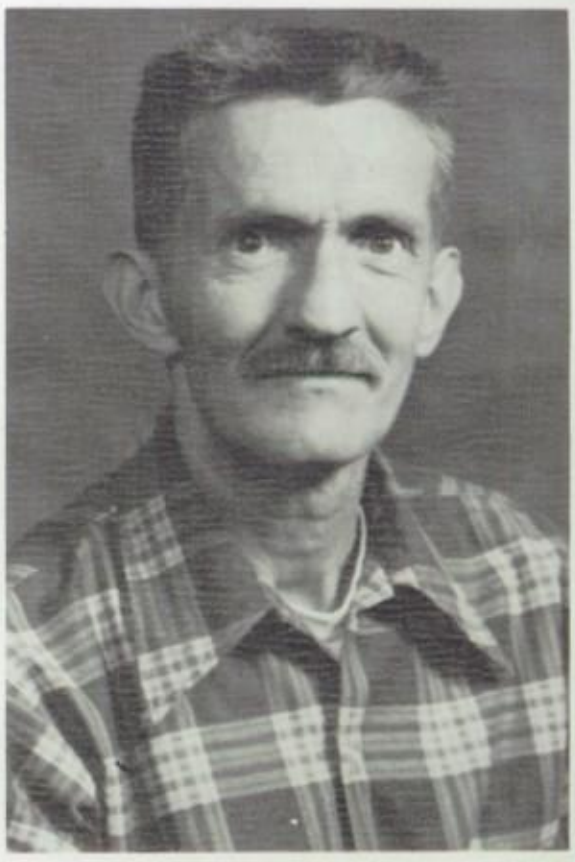
scorpio: exotic, complex, intense, jealous, proud, secretive, bigoted, vindictive, strong willed, demanding, volcanic, tactless.

Mrs. Linda Miller

History 10
U. S. History
Pep Squad Advisor
Junior Class Advisor

Mrs. Navarro: "Listen, turkey . . ."

Mrs. Miller: "I said to staple one corner, not all four!"



Mr. Ron Sellers

Groundskeeper
Janitor

Mrs. Patricia Navarro

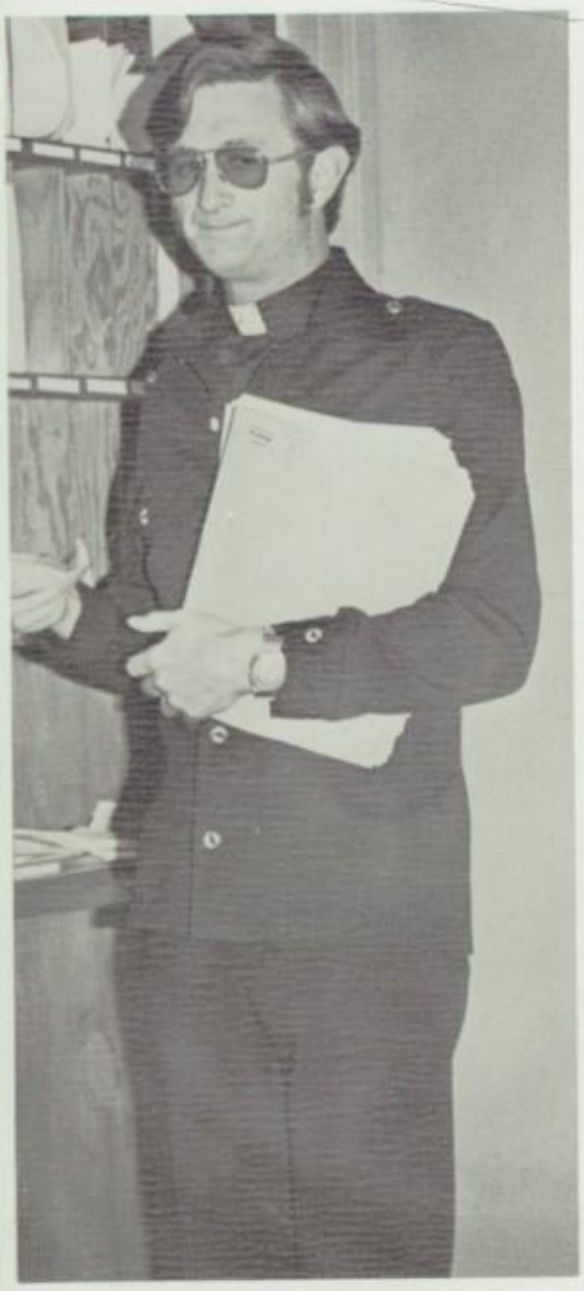
Girls' Physical Education
Girls' P.E. Department
Chairperson
G.A.A. Advisor
Freshman Class Advisor

virgo: alert, industrious, reserved, fussy, discontented, perfectionist, pleasant, sarcastic, remarkable memory, stubborn, straightforward.

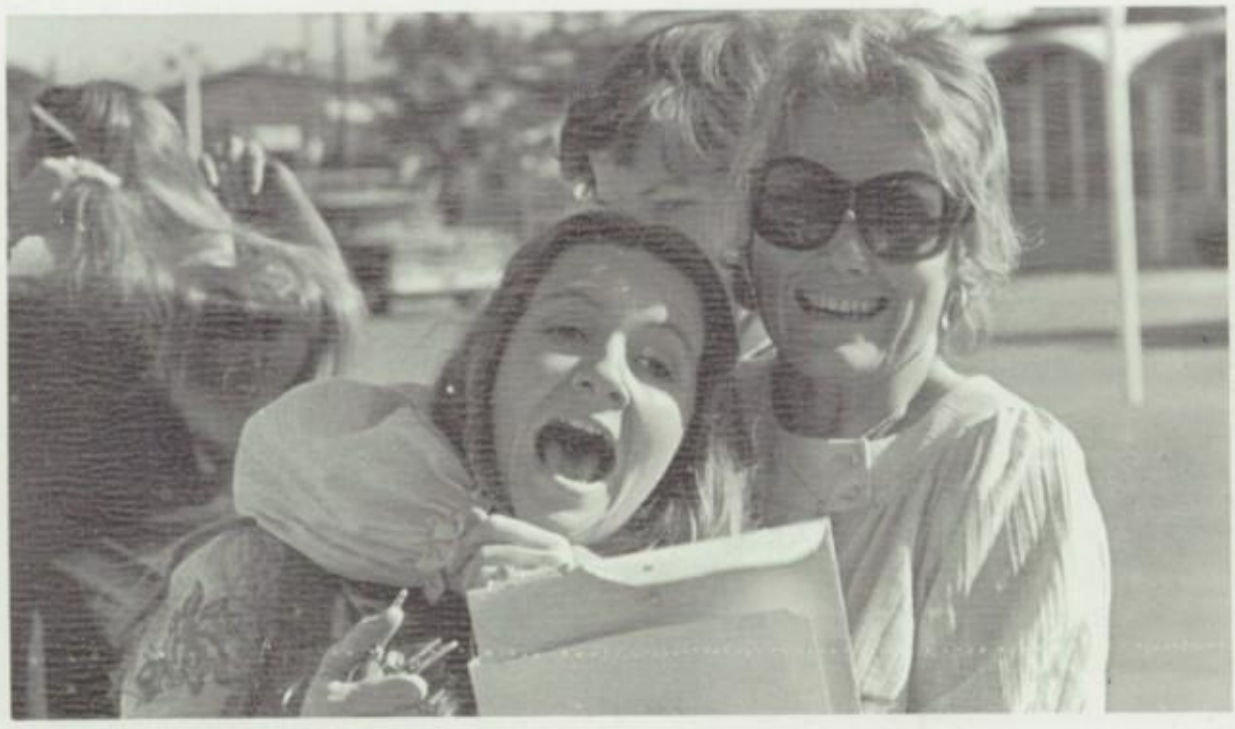
Brother Gerald

Michelle -
Didn't have you in any classes this year - but your smile as you walked about campus brightened my day. Have a nice summer & a fantastic Senior year.
Keep Smiling
Br. Gerald

English 10
English Department Chairperson
Religion 10
C.S.F. Advisor



Br. Gerald: "Who's the wise guy who put the Bar Mitzvah card in my mail box?"

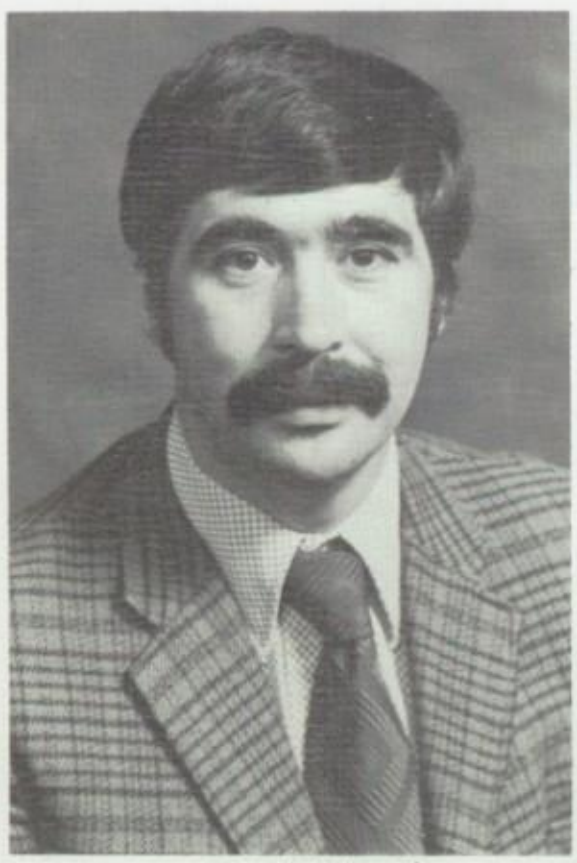


Come to the game, Mrs. Brisbine, or else!

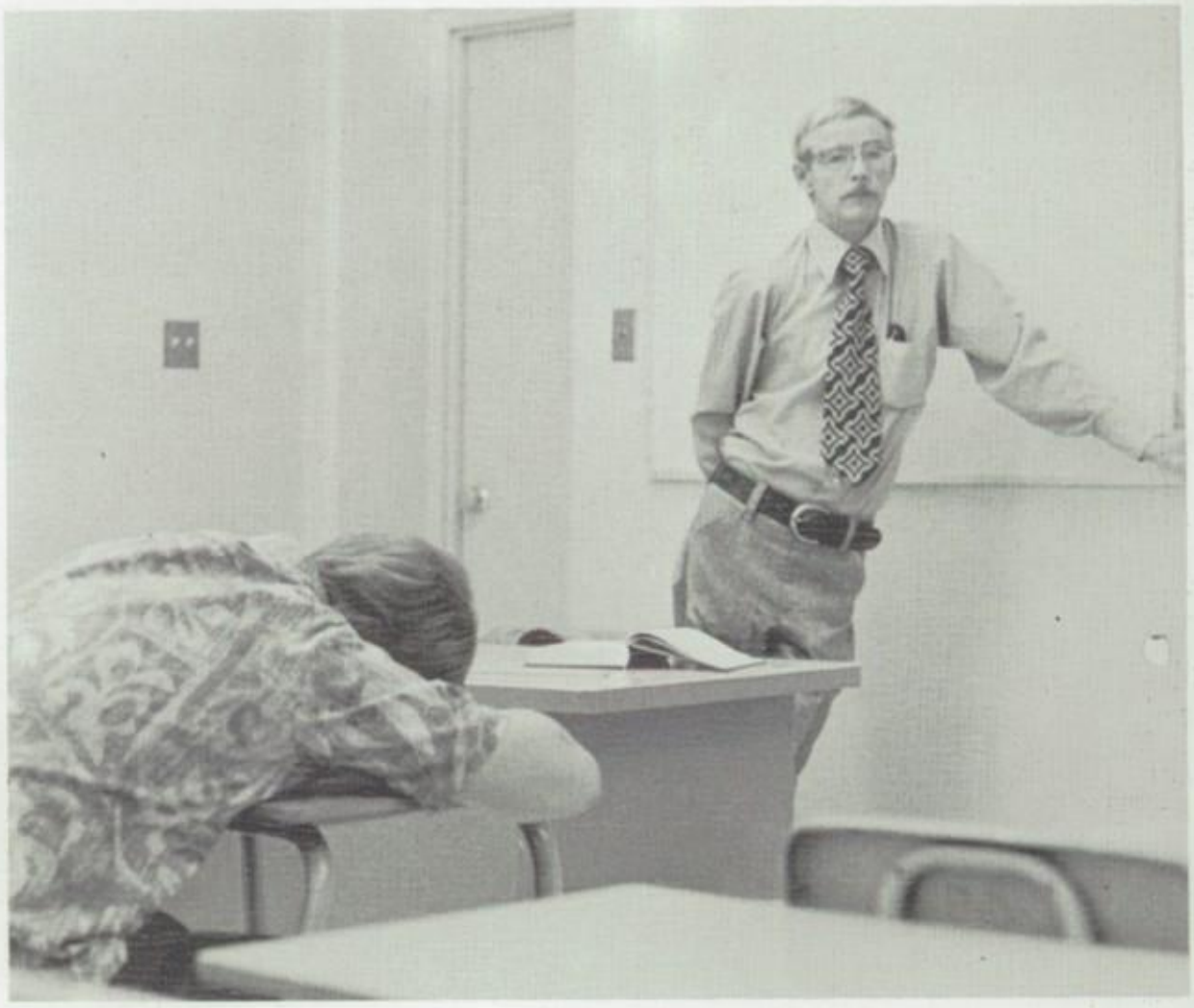
aries: nervous, extroverted, self-sufficient, accident-prone, intelligent, quickly bored, self-centered, egotistical, arrogant, dynamic.

Sister Mary St. Charles, S.N.D.
Vice-Principal, Chemistry,
Physics, Science /
Math Department Chairperson

"We have to stop meeting like this."



Mr. Keith Murphy
Boys' Dean of Discipline
Art
Bookkeeping
Driver Education
Art Department Chairperson
Driver Education Department
Chairperson



Mr. Powers suspects that all students do not appreciate the science of mathematics.

Mrs. Debbie Brisbine

Biology 10, 11
Advanced Biology
Geometry
Girls' Track and Field
Junior Class Advisor

Mr. Stan Coburn
(2nd Semester)

History 9
P.E.

Mr. Paul Spinner

History 10
U.S. History
English 11
Junior Class Advisor
Activities Advisor
Track and Field

What are you smiling about, Mrs. Brisbine? We're the ones who have to take the tests.

pisces: gentle, endearing, intuitive, generous, gracious, sympathetic, understanding, charitable, irritable, warm.

Mrs. Verlon Tennyson

English 12
Typing 1
Typing 2 / Office Practice
Spanish 1
Business Department
Chairperson

Mrs. Delores Garcia

Cafeteria

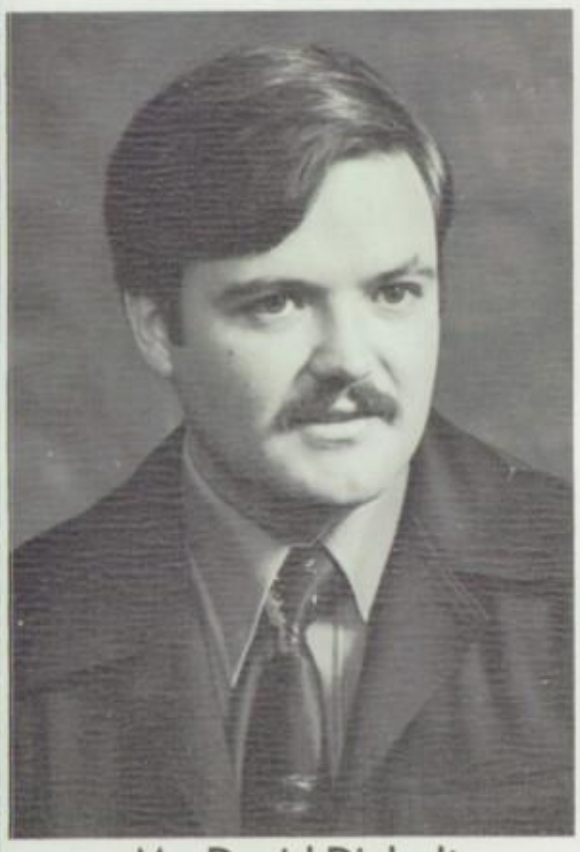
Happy Birthday to me . . .

this cake here is free . . .

Smile, I'm on candid camera.

Brother Denis, O.S.F.

History 9
Librarian
Photography Department
Chairperson



Mr. David Diebolt
(2nd Semester)

Algebra I, II
Trigonometry
Freshman Class Advisor

libra: warm, friendly, sympathetic, gentle, highly-talented, understanding, moody, artistic, social, self-indulgent, expensive taste.

. the first bite tastes good . . .

and so does piece three . . .

aquarius: original, intellectual, friendly, radical, versatile, sociable, unconventional, rebellious, antagonistic, charming, unselfish, idealistic.

Wouldn't ov rather "Miss Johnson" Best wishes for success always. Miss Rigali

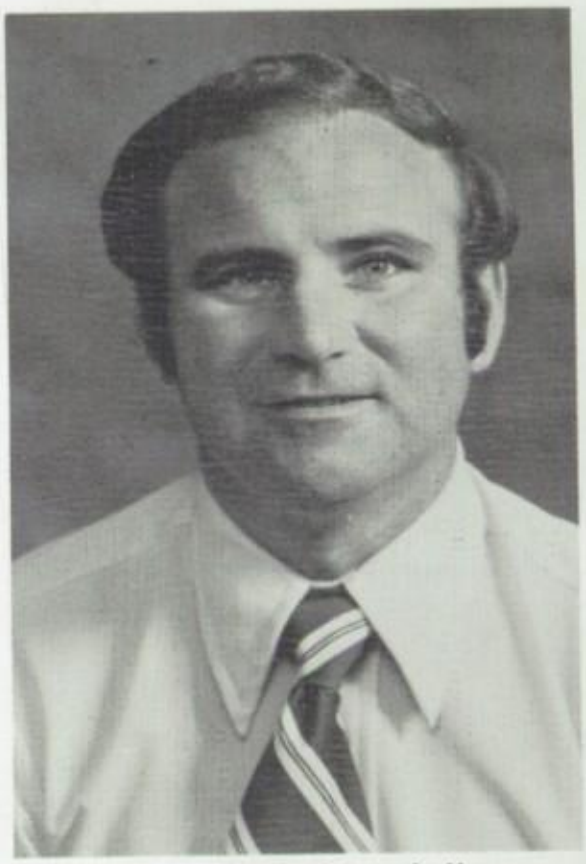
Sister Marie Paul, S.N.D.

Religion 9
Reading Experience
English 12

Miss Theresa Rigali

French I, II
English 9
Crafts
Drama Department
Chairperson
Pep Club Advisor

Aw, c'mon, Shakespeare didn't either write Jaws

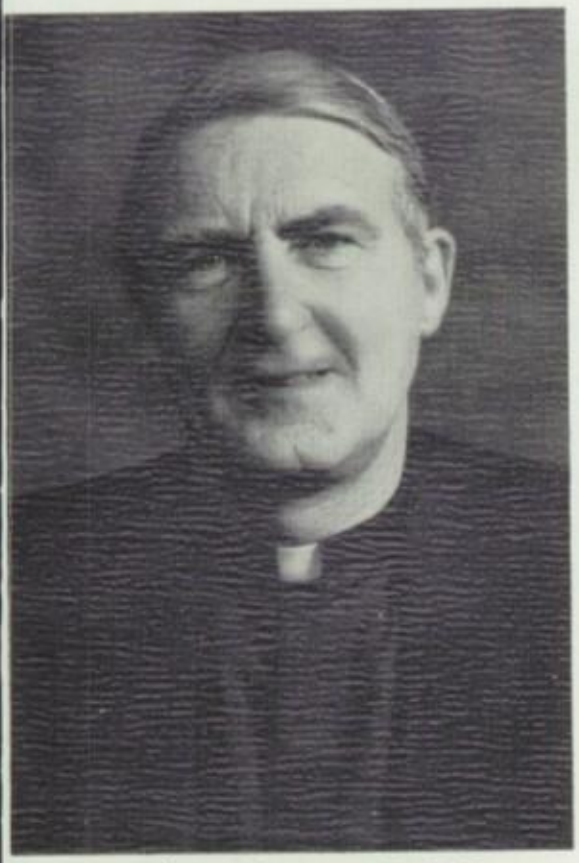


Mr. Tom Crandall
(1st Semester)

History 9
Religion 9
Cross-Country
Football, V. and J.V.
Boys' P.E. Department
Chairperson
Athletic Director

La fête, c'est tres amusant, n'est-ce pas?

gemini: curious, energetic, impatient, charming, persuasive, fickle, calculating, high strung, versatile, clever.



Brother Martin, O.S.F.
Counselor

Mrs. Eleanor Traverse
Secretary
Registrar

"Hello, Organized Disaster Areas Inc., may I help you?"

To Michelle
Have a wonderful
summer. Great akid
Ken. Thanks for
being so

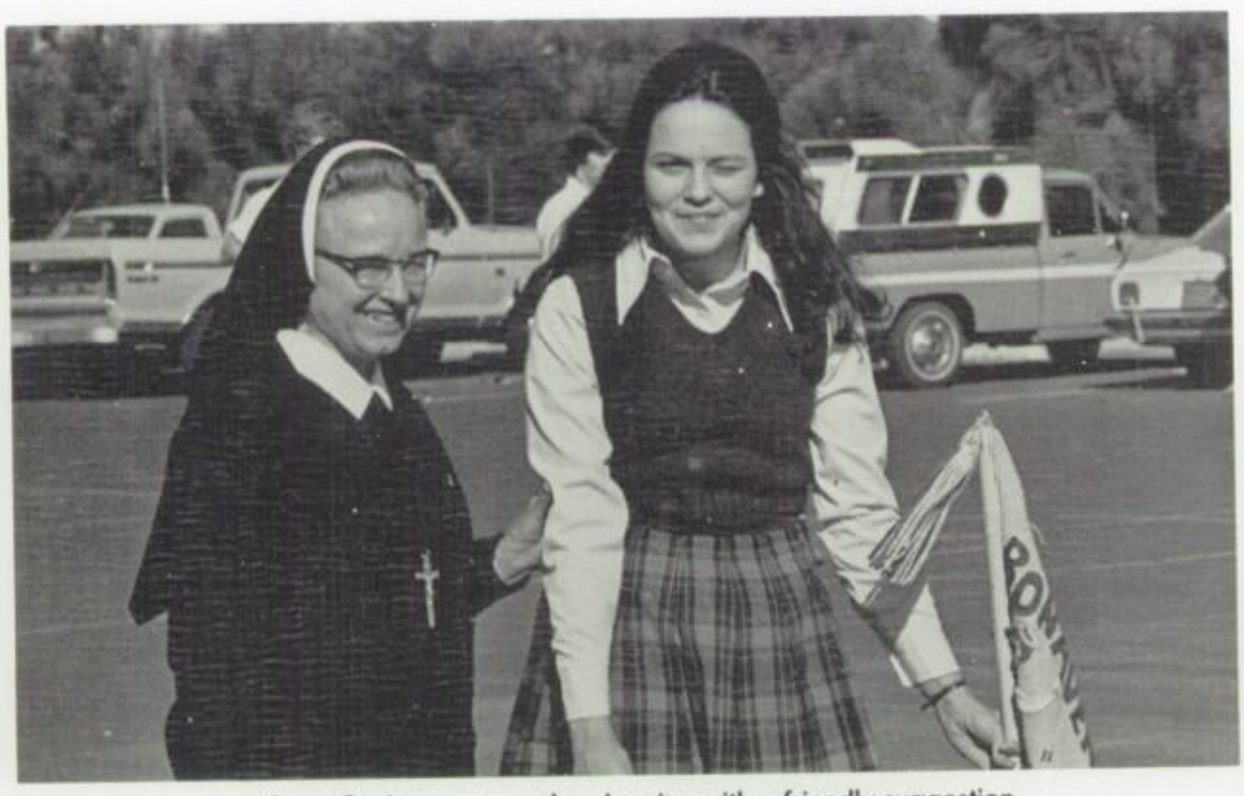
Mrs. Debby Burns

Girls' Dean of Discipline
Attendance
Curriculum Coordinator
Counselor

Ms. Stephanie Glatt

English 9, 10
Business Math
Religion 10
Yearbook Advisor

". . . and Estella's even cuter."



Sister St. Joan approaches Jeanine with a friendly suggestion.

"This mountain grown stuff really hits the spot."

taurus: conservative, loyal, neat, jealous, intolerant, possessive, rigid, hardheaded, steadfast.

The Thinker

Mickell
Hope you had
a very nice summer
enjoyed Europe, see you
soon
Love
Jeff

Sister Mary St. Joan

Civics
Religion 11
Social Studies Department
Chairperson
Senior Class Advisor

Mr. Jim Clesson

Boys' Physical Education
Typing 1
Basketball, V.

Mrs. Lorraine Thweatt

Secretary
Bookkeeper

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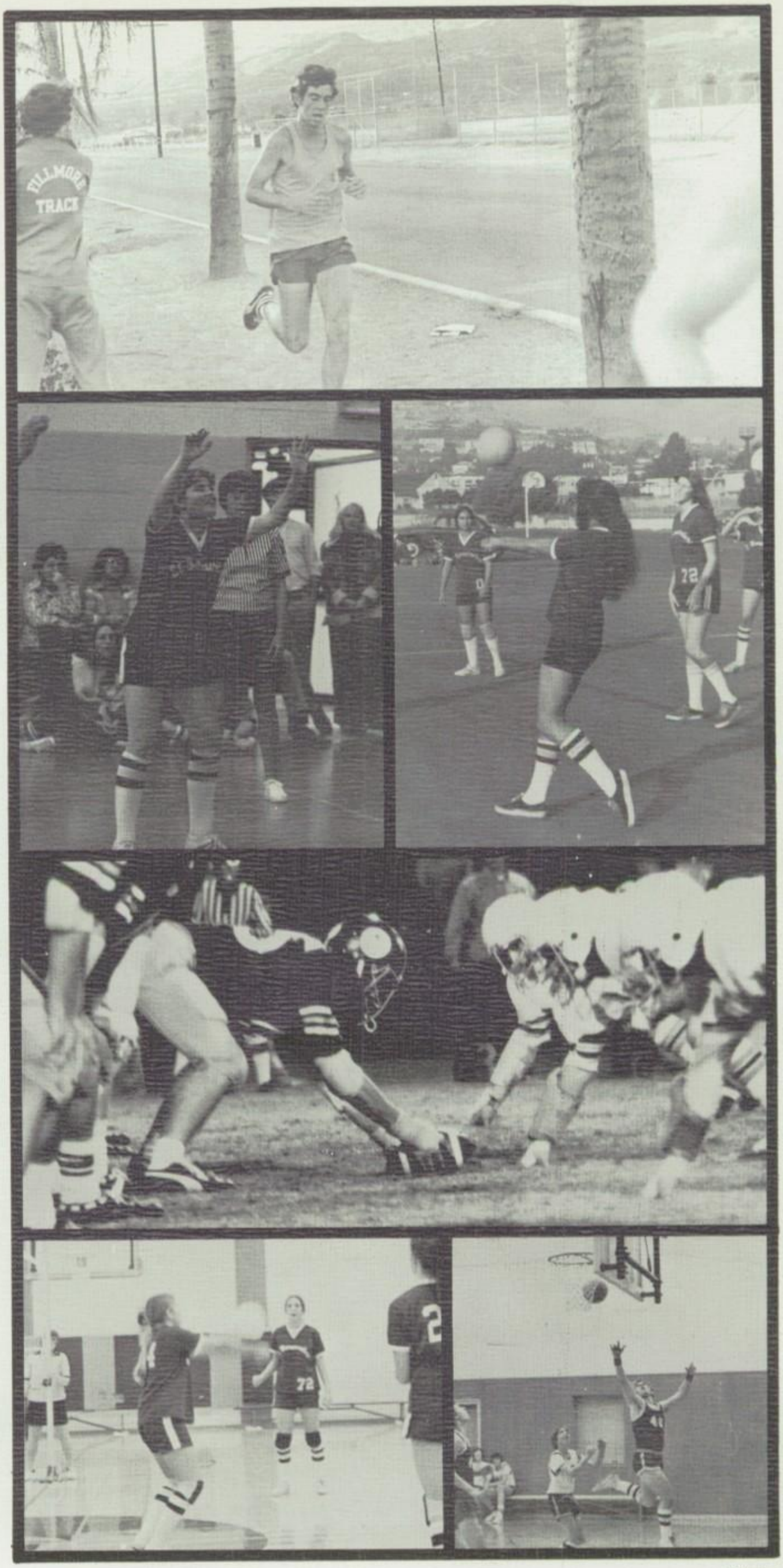

ATHLETICS is a major part of a Seraph's life. Great turnouts have always been welcomed at every game, home or away, boys or girls. And out of these crowds stands one person, loyal and dedicated, who has faithfully given many hours of his time to the injured. He is always there when needed, with his ice packs and bandages all bundled together in his black bag, his personal trademark. We, the Arches Staff, dedicate this Sports Section to Jay Blackstone in appreciation for his dedication and loyalty.

VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM: Front row (left to right): Greg Ramirez, Frank Perkins, Dick Drew, Tim Silvestri, Terri Bozek, Luke Gajefski, Manual Mejia, Richard Sloniker. Second row: Steve McGrath, Ron Ramirez, Craig Held, Frank Hendricks, Liam Thorpe, Jim Autrey, Bob Clifford, Bob Murach, Tom Sliger, Mike Porras, Don Ski. Back row: Chris Brock, Brien Fitzgerald, Bob Shriener, Roger Clow, Ken Kohr, Chris Valdivieso, Paul Derse, Bob Gstettenbauer, Chris Kohr, Dave Avendano, George Williams, Bob Cobey, Bill Erwin.

After a **DISAS-TROUS** pre-season, the Seraph varsity team started on an extensive rebuilding program in order to shape up for league competition. The effort paid off with a Seraph victory over Fillmore, the first in seven years. The team ended league play with a record of 2-2 and a season that promised excellent prospects for next year.

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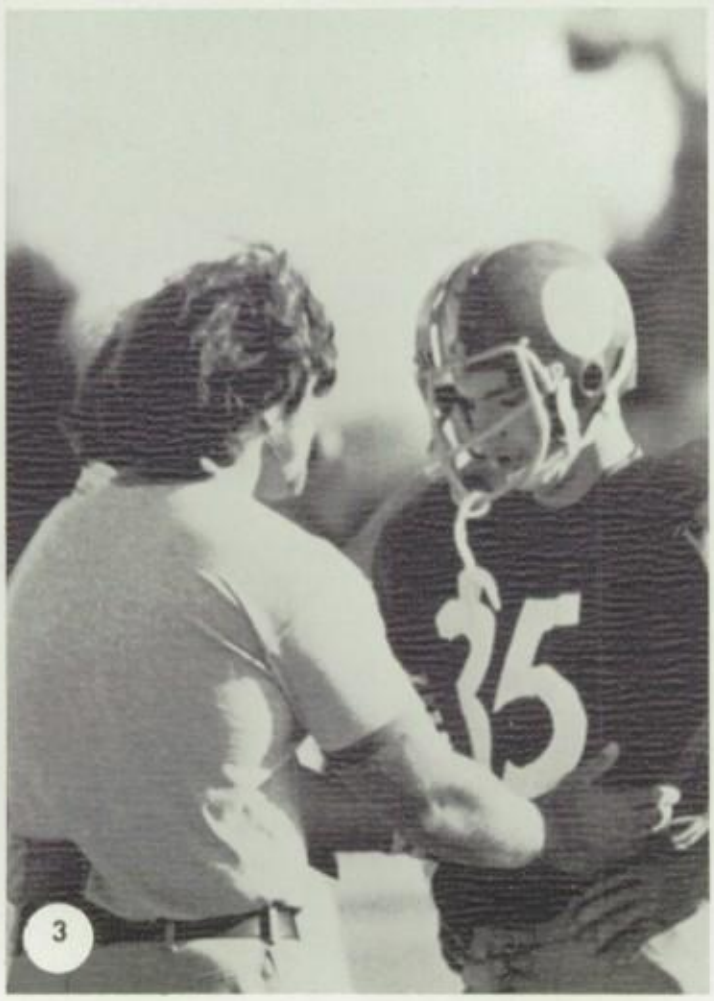
VARSITY SCORES

Seraphs		
	Pre-Season	
0	Cathedral	12
0	Nordhoff	12
21	Calexico	21
7	Atascadero	21
	League	
7	Fillmore	6
13	Moorpark	0
6	Bishop	22
0	Carpinteria	28



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1. ST. BONAVENTURE FOOTBALL COACHING STAFF: (left to right): Paul Spinner, Tony Lopez. Front row, (left to right): Larry Hamlin, Tom Crandall, athletic director. 2. The Seraphs celebrate a league victory by singing the Alma Mater. 3. Bob Gstettenbauer, an All-Leaguer for three years, accepts defensive advise from Coach Jackson during the Fillmore victory.

Michelle
I don't think
English was too boring
but it wesn't that great
have Fun and I'll see you
in our Senior year

Love
Dick
Drew

The Seraphs remained in league **CONTENTION** until their final game with Carpinteria. This season's outstanding players include Bob Gstettenbauer, Chris Kohr, Manuel Mejia, Jim Autrey, and Dick Drew.

1. The Seraphs are always there where the action is. 2. Mike Porras shows his finesse and speed as he looks for his receivers. 3. Chris Kohr and the tackle quick right work well together, as Steve McGrath picks up valuable yardage. 4. The big play man, Manuel Mejia, squirts through a dangerous defensive line. 5. Sliger keys off on the running back. 6. The defensive line rolls the special team. 7. Autrey goes through the green tunnel. 8. Bob Getts with a flying catch. 9. Seraphs work on the sled.

Fans see only the football games, but players know there's a lot more to football than just games. There is also **PRACTICE.** The grueling hours on a sun-baked field are necessary for the building of a good team. Players who practice hard play hard.

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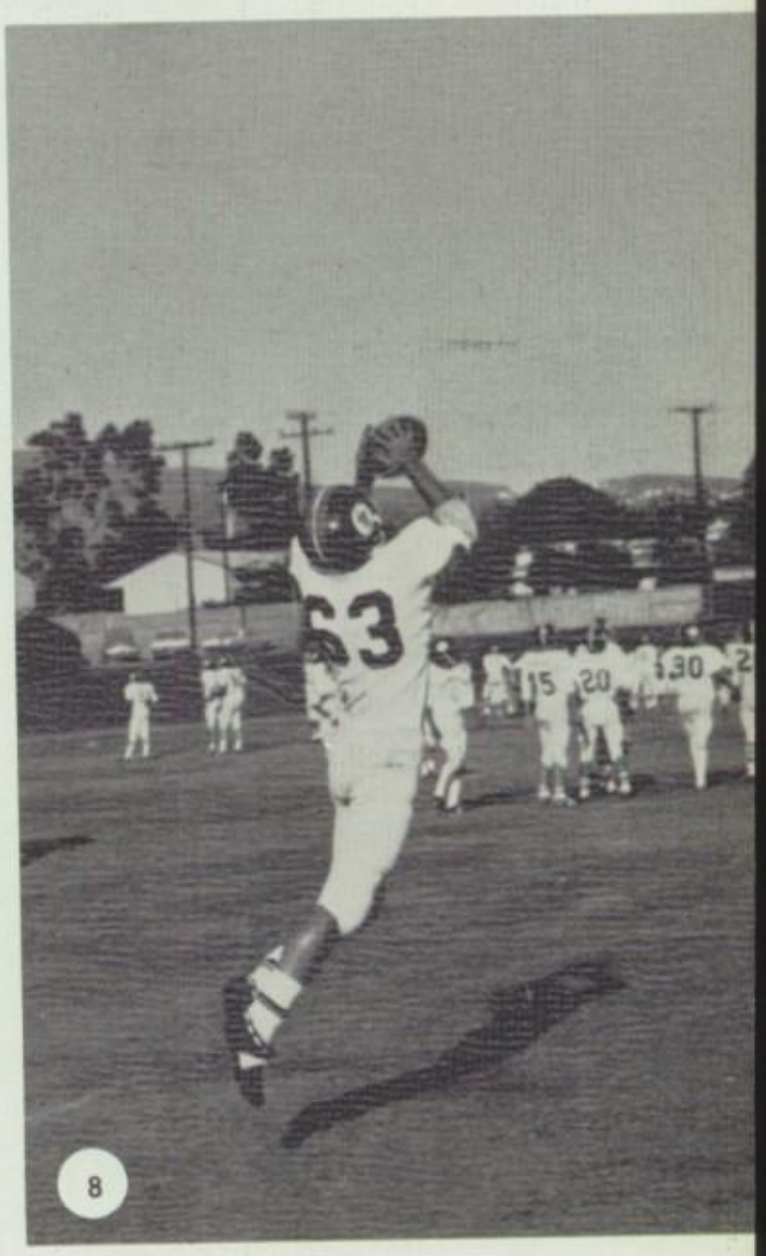

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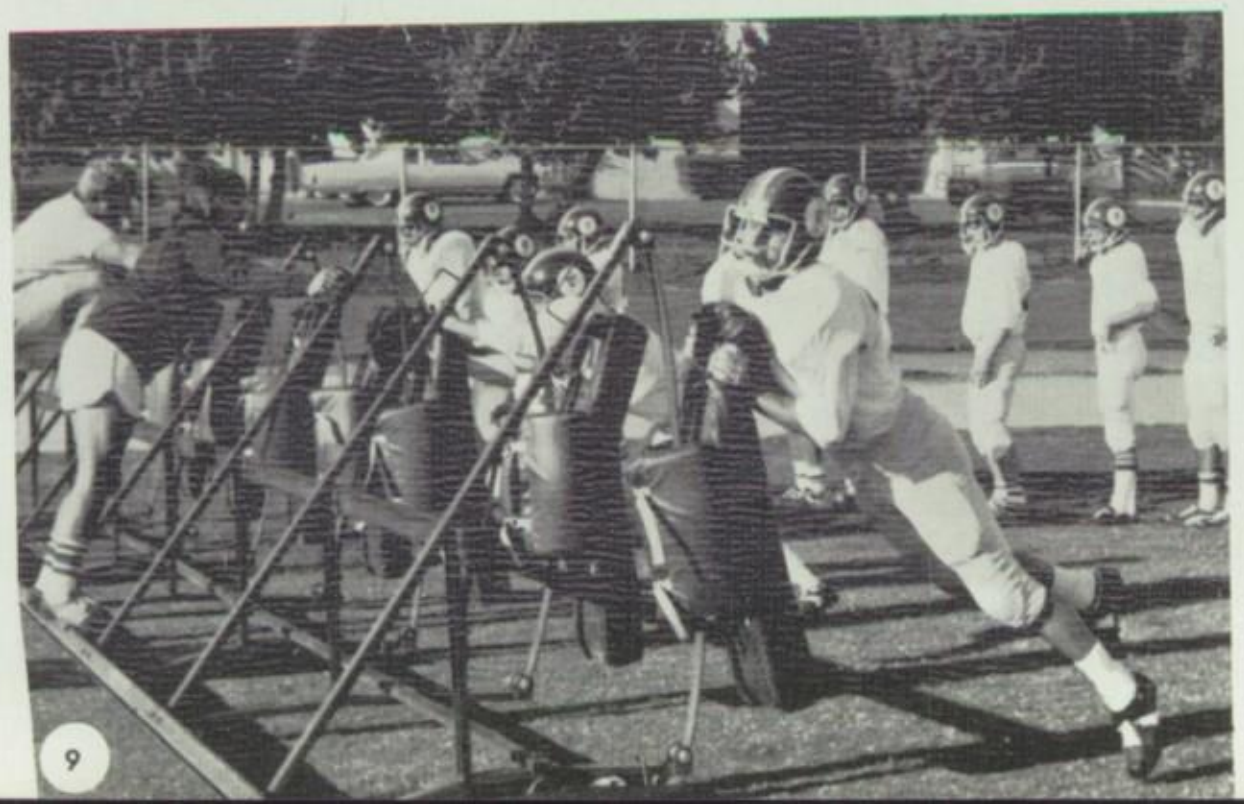

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The varsity team gets more attention, but the J.V. players found that being on their team was just as much fun — and hard work — as the varsity. Our **FUTURE** varsity players had plenty of spirit, even if most of the school's attention was focused on the "other" team. The J.V.'s ended their season with a 3-5 record.

J.V. TEAM: Front row (left to right): A Brock, J. Montiel, T. Mellring, L. Younce, M. McGahan, M. Bryson, P. Hendrick, R. Giberti, B. Johnson. 2nd row: J. Patterson, J. Reyes, K. Cobey, B. Anderson, K. Fitzgerald, T. Pulido, M. Slider, M. Colitti, J. Poindexter, W. Santoyo. 3rd row: S. Ibison, M. Adams, D. McCarthy, P. Hughes, M. Colitti, J. Duran, M. McInally, D. Solis, E. Smith, M. Montiel, S. Mayorga.

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1. One of the forgotten men on the playing field is Fred Burhoe, football manager. Mr. Jay Blackstone, trainer, is always there to help and support the athlete. 2. The men of bandages and water managers Antony Victoria, Peter Melhorn, Chris Roche. 3. Offensive line digs in for some yardage. 4. Defense manhandles the Saugus line.

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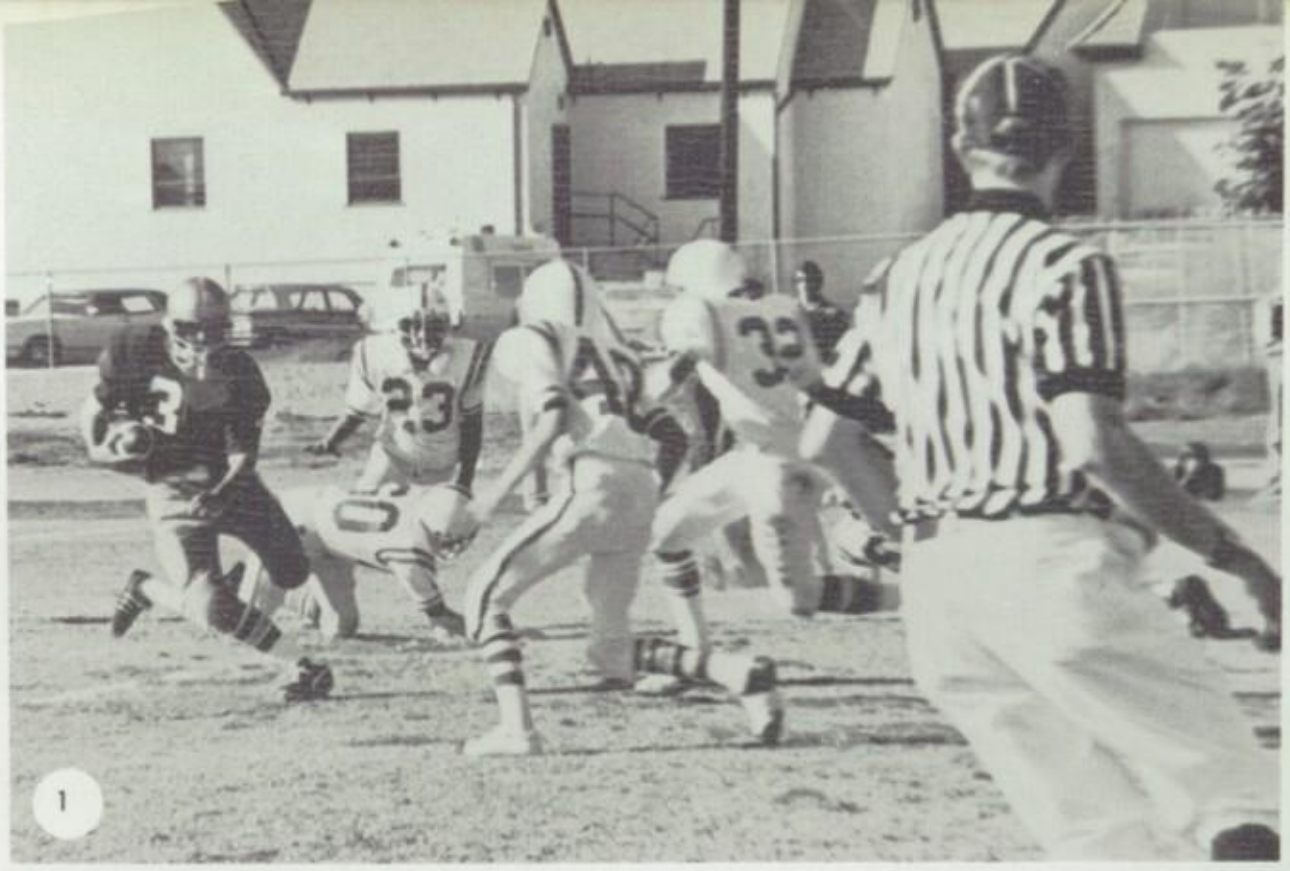
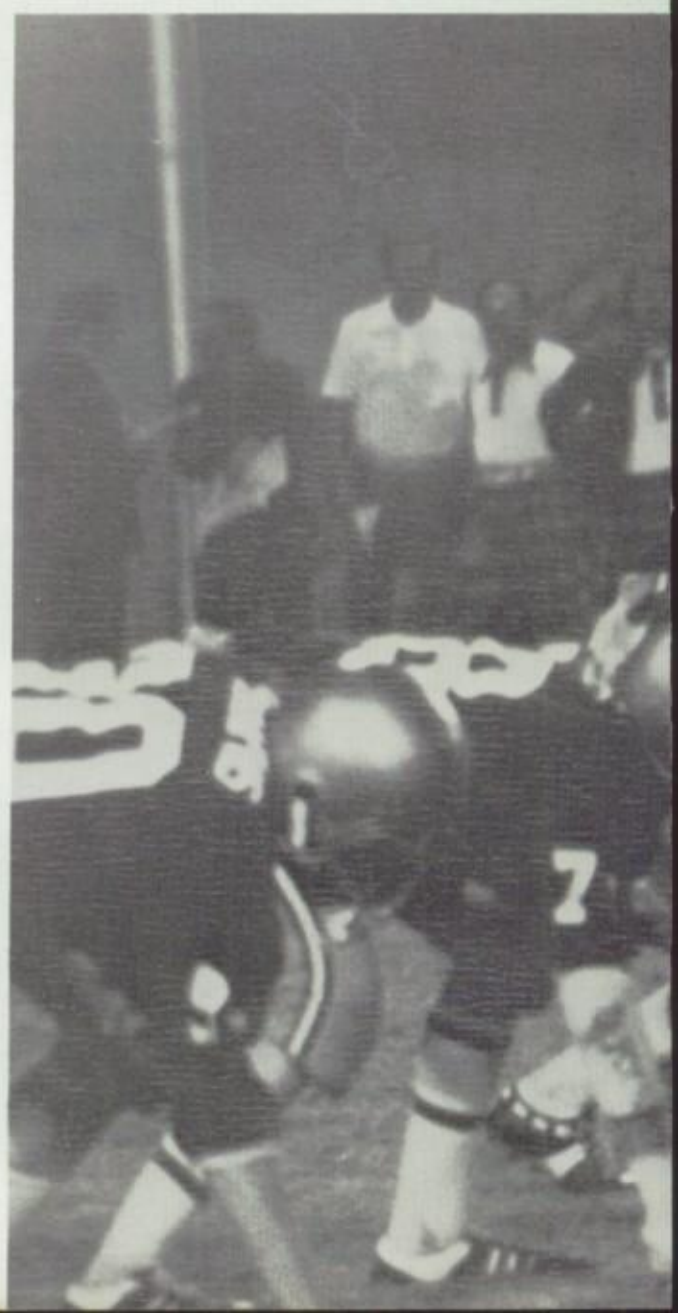
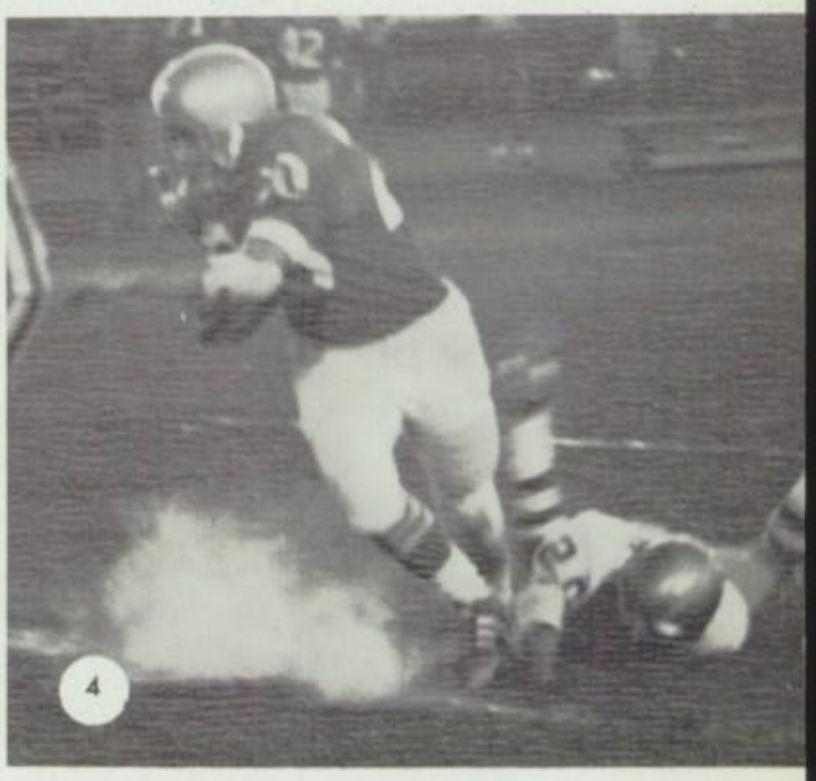
"WHOOPS! Oh well, we'll get 'em next time." That was the feeling of the J.V. football team this season. The skill, and definitely the determination, were there but the team couldn't seem to put it all together.

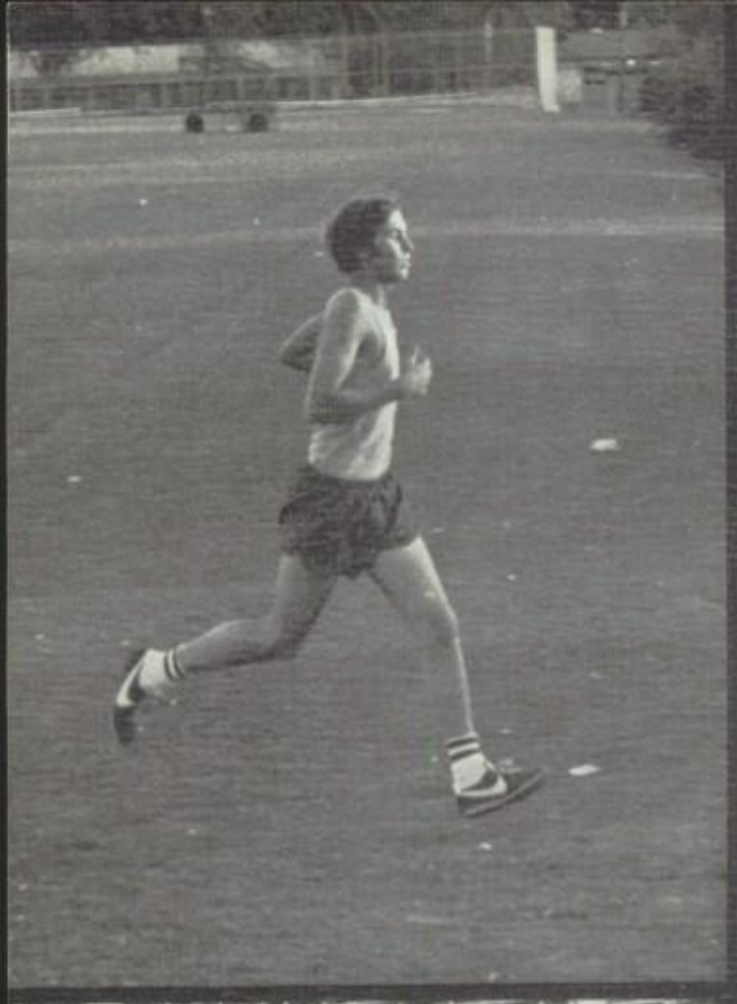




1. John Poindexter eludes a Fillmore tackler. 2. Saugus players converge on the punter's foot. 3. Mark Colitti kicks under pressure. 4. Marty Adams runs into a would-be Fillmore tackler.

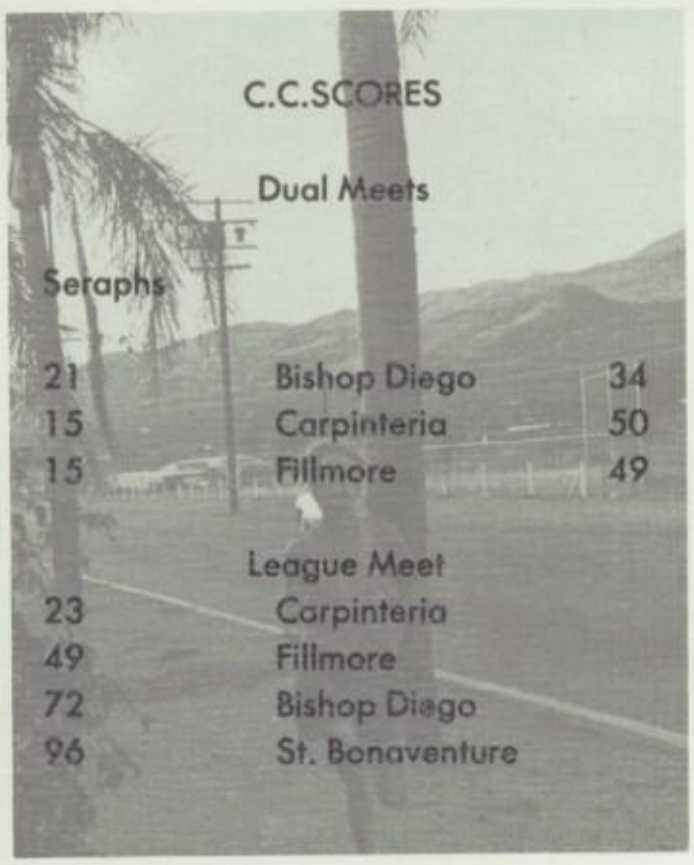
1. Seraphs gang up on a tackle. 2. J.V's leave the field after another hard game. 3. Marty Adams finds himself in Fillmore's hands. 4. A Seraph dives for a shoelace tackle.





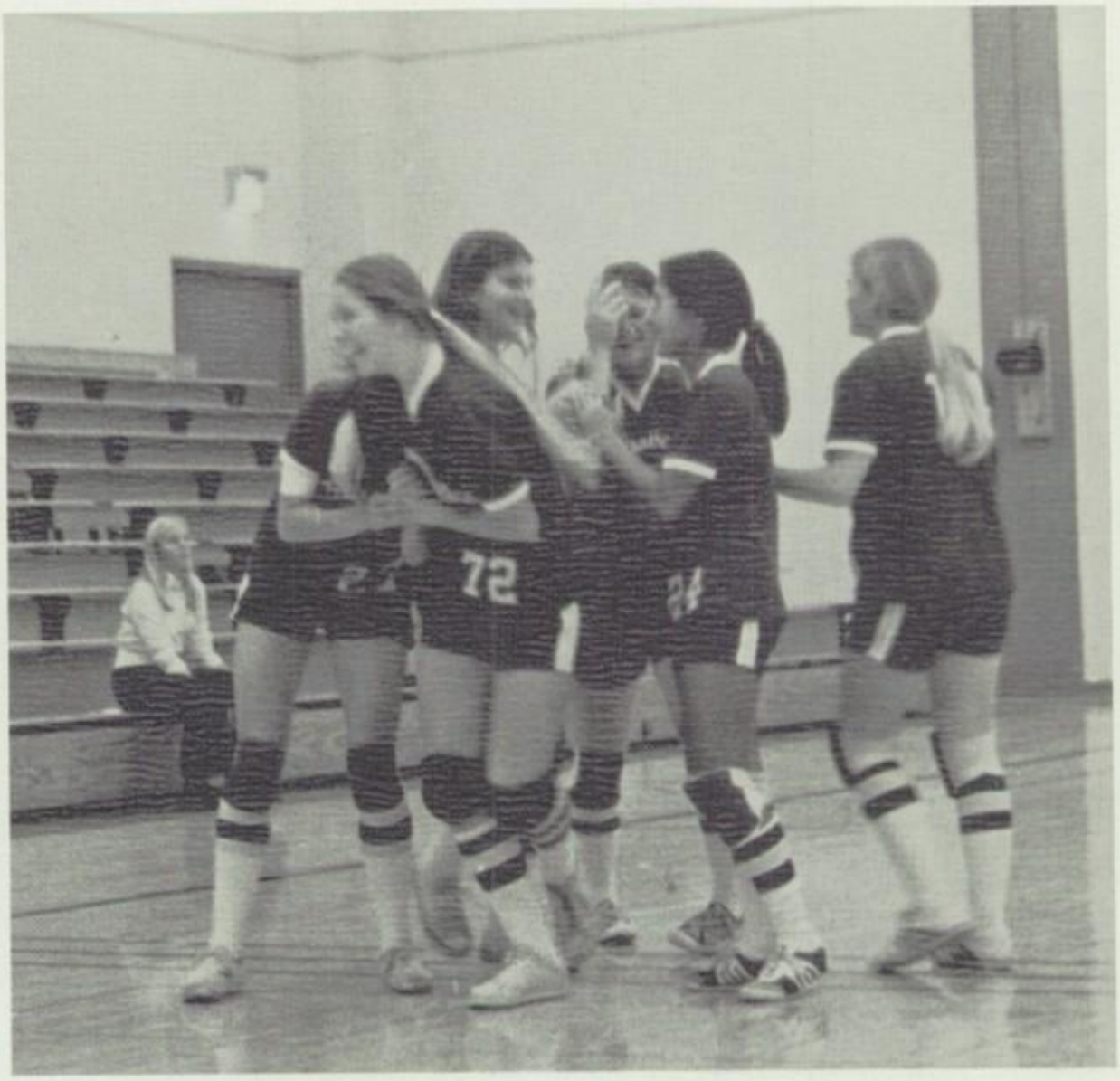
FEET were sore and bodies tired after each of the cross country meets. Cross country isn't a well-known or well-supported sport among Bonaventure students, but the cross country runners still tried their hardest to run farther faster.

CROSS COUNTRY TEAM: Front row (left to right): Mike Bryson, Matt McInally (Both inactive this year), Kevin Bovee, Randy Smith, Jim Burns, Pat Burke, Tom Conners, Greg Parrone, Mike Burns.

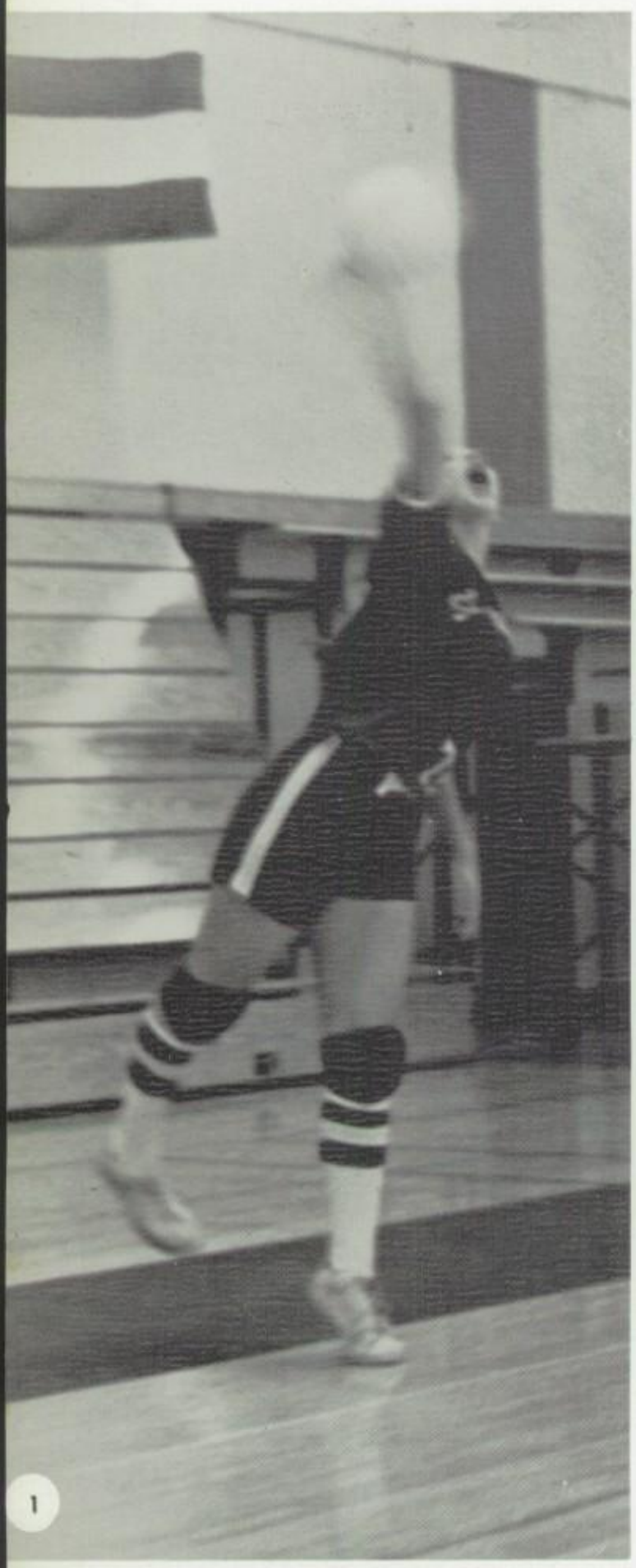


1. Holey shoes and sore feet are guaranteed to the cross country runner. 2. Who said running two miles isn't fun? 3. Randy receives his place stick. 4. It's all smiles now, but what about after the race? 5. Kevin gives Randy a cheer . . . RAH! 6. Mike takes a little rest after the race.

POWERFUL arms slicing the air of a hot, sweaty gym . . . The scene is the St. Bonaventure girls' varsity volleyball team competing against a Tri-Valley League rival. This year they won eight out of ten games played and made it all the way to the CIF playoffs. Mrs. Navarro, volleyball coach, said, "The team really came a long way in league games. And, although we didn't win, it was a great honor to go to CIF. I'm sure that next year we will go to CIF again."



VARSITY TEAM: Back Row (left to right): Joan Kack, Melinda Sliger, Rebecca Harper, Eva Costello, Kelly Russell, Mrs. Navarro, coach. Kneeling: Mary Alice Mendoza. Seated: Ann Garcia, Theresa Woodyard.



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NERVEWRACKING is one way to describe the first game of the CIF playoffs against Pasadena Poly. From a score of 0-8, the varsity team moved ahead to win 18-16. But, as the second game progressed and the scores widened, the happiness of minutes before turned to frustation. In the third game, there was only one thought in the minds of the team — win. In the final minutes of the game, however, Pasadena pulled ahead to defeat the Seraphs. Although they lost, the team members were happy that they had the opportunity to go to the playoffs.

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VARSITY SCORES

1st Round

Seraphs		
15	Villanova	5
15		2
15	Carpinteria	11
15		2
3	Bishop	15
10		15
16	Moorpark	14
15		10
15	Fillmore	11
15		2

2nd Round

15	Villanova	5
15		10
15	Carpinteria	4
15		10
9	Bishop	15
15		12
16	Moorpark	14
15		7
15	Fillmore	3
15		6

CIF

18	Pasadena Poly	16
6		15
8		15

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1. Becky puts her strength behind the ball as she serves. 2. Eva jumps to block the ball. 3. Kelly pops one over with ease. 4. The varsity takes a break. 5. The varsity shows pre-game spirit. 6. Eva bumps one during practice. 7. Becky and Melinda collide as the game gets tense. 8. Melinda and Annie warm up before the game.

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For their first year of playing gether as a team, the J.V.'s did

REMARKABLY

well. They showed a great deal of teamwork and effort, along with lenty of exciting competition. In the Tri-Valley League, they lost two games and came in second place, defeated only by Bishop Diego. With one year's experience behind hem, the J.V.'s are looking forward to an even better season next year.

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1. Tina does it sideways. 2. Molly gets under for the hit. 3. Tammy "Moose" Pierce does the bump.

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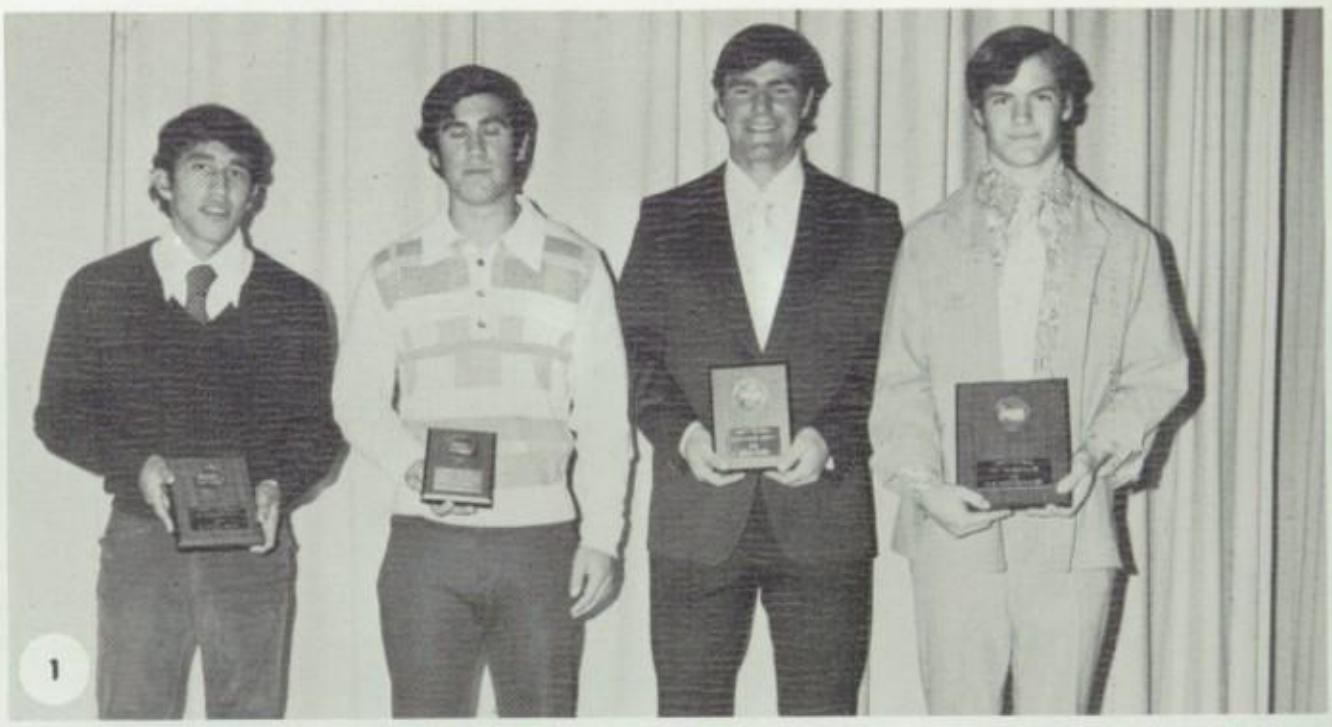
J.V. SCORES

Seraphs		
15	Carpinteria	5
12		15
15		10
15	Nordhoff	5
15		6
16	Bishop	15
2		15
15	Moorpark	3
15		5
15	Fillmore	9
15		6
15	Carpinteria	4
15		9
7	Bishop	15
13		15
15	Moorpark	7
15		9
15	Fillmore	7
15		7
15	Nordhoff	0
15		8

JUNIOR VARSITY TEAM: Back row (left to right): Frances Hicks, Molly Shanahan, Lauren Colitti, Tammy Pierce, Mrs. Navarro, coach. Kneeling: Karen Smith, Annette Pozos, Christina Martinez, Tina Flores. Seated: Gina Lara, Mary Mendoza, manager, Cheryal Bailey.

Lots of food and lots of fun were present at the Sports Award Banquet. The food came in the form of a **GIGANTIC** pot luck dinner, organized by Mrs. Gajefski. The fun came in the form of awards given to outstanding players and others. Assumption Hall was packed with people for the first sports banquet ever to combine both football, cross-country and girls' volleyball. After dinner, the coaches gave out awards to players on the J.V. and varsity teams. Awards were also given by the players to their coaches, to Jay Blackstone, the trainer, and Doc Fletcher, the team physician. As the banquet ended, Mr. Crandall, football coach and athletic director for the past three years, said farewell to his players and friends.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1. Outstanding Players of '75: Outstanding Back, Manuel Mejia; Most Inspiring, Jim Autrey; Outstanding Lineman, Chris Kohr; Most Valuable, Bob Gstettenbauer. 2. Bob receives his plaque for most valuable from Coach Crandall. 3. Chris Kohr presents Coach Crandall his plaque of appreciation. 4. Coach Spinner accepts his trophy from Jim Duran on behalf of the J.V. Team. 5. The J.V. Team listens to the closing speeches of the 1976 Sports Award Banquet. 6. Coach Brent Jackson presents the Most Inspirational Award to Jim Autrey. 7. Outstanding volleyball players of '75: Most Valuable J.V. player, Lauren Colitti; Most Improved varsity, Becky Harper; Most Valuable varsity, Melinda Sliger; All Tri-Valley League, Kim Strickley. 8. Gina, Lauren, and Chris enjoy the speeches, awards and the food. 9. The varsity receives their C.I.F. participation certificates. 10. Mrs. Navarro presents the varsity with their letters of participation. 11. Melinda Sliger, most valuable volleyball player, led her team to first round action in C.I.F. volleyball action. 12. The J.V.'s receive their golden letters for their hard work and talents.

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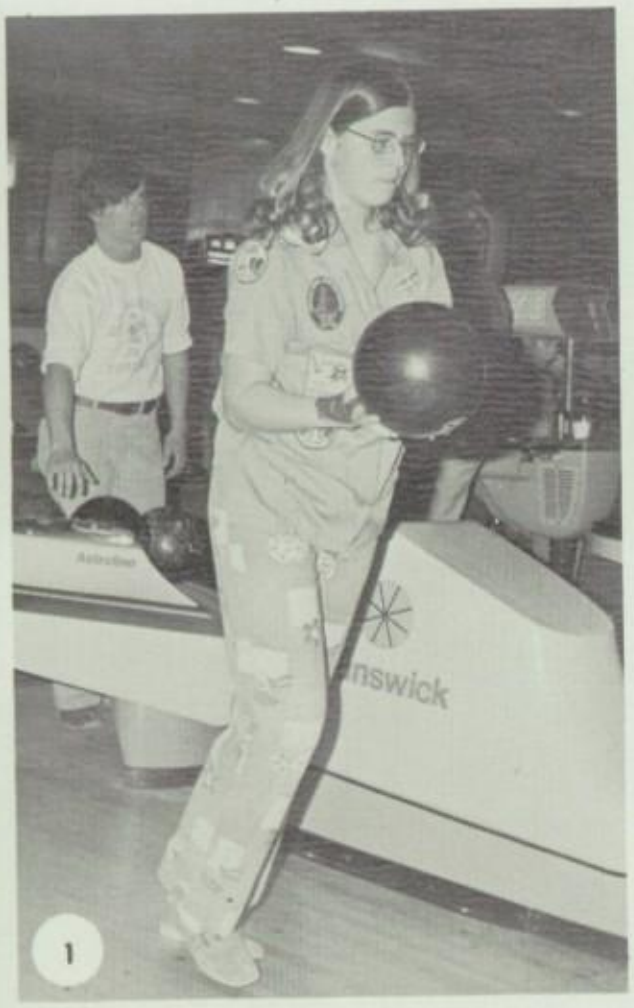
Each Thursday afternoon some students send a shiny sphere sliding down a solid surface creating

STRIKES, spares, and splits. This surprising spectacle surely sounds stupid, but somehow students survive the Silly scene. In fact, they not only survive, but they have a lot of fun, because this scene is the S.B.H.S. Bowling League. It may not be a well-known thing on campus, but to the 32 bowling league members, this sport provides spectacularly surprising fun.



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BOWLING TEAM: Front row (left to right): J. Monteil, D. Castro, L. Gajefski, G. Bordagaray, L. Gajefski, V. Ange, F. Perkins, B. Cohen. 2nd row: Mrs. Colitti, K. Foulks, B. Anderson, A. Stephens, B. Tallman, M. Zoll, T. Letus, R. Sandoval. 3rd row: Mrs. C. Gajefski, S. Shinkaruk, S. Ocegueda, T. Mason, M. Quijada, K. Eckberg, F. Fischer, L. Ellis, R. Ramirez. 4th row: C. Pauley, R. Traverse, T. Dufresne, B. LeSchofs, B. Murach, R. Giberti, T. Sengbusch, C. Ange.

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1. Barbara Cohen, holder of the highest bowling average of the team. 2. Danny watches those curves. 3. Ange shows his perfect style which helped St. Bonaventure win the Buena Tournament. 4. Teresa Sengbusch — it's all in the wrist. 5. Dennis Abeloe keeps an accurate score at the Poinsettia lanes.

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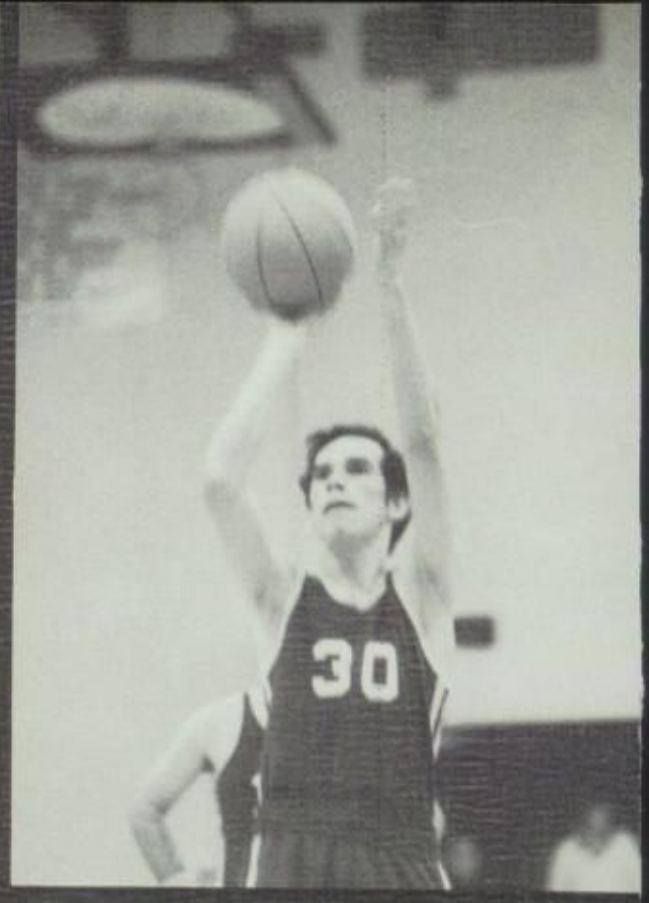
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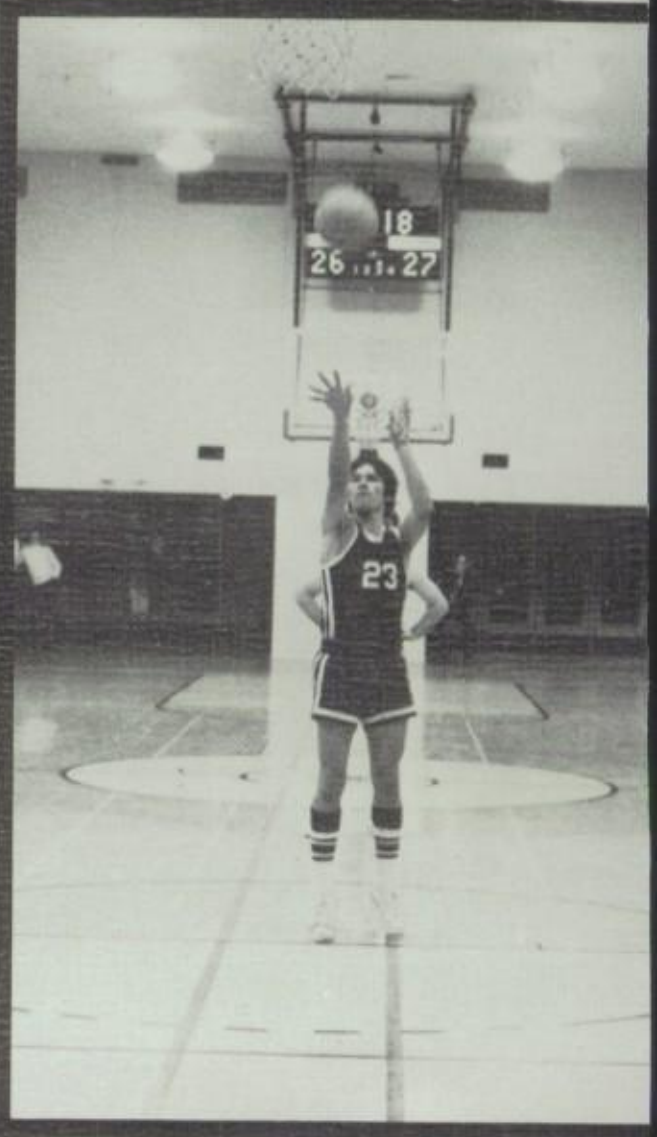
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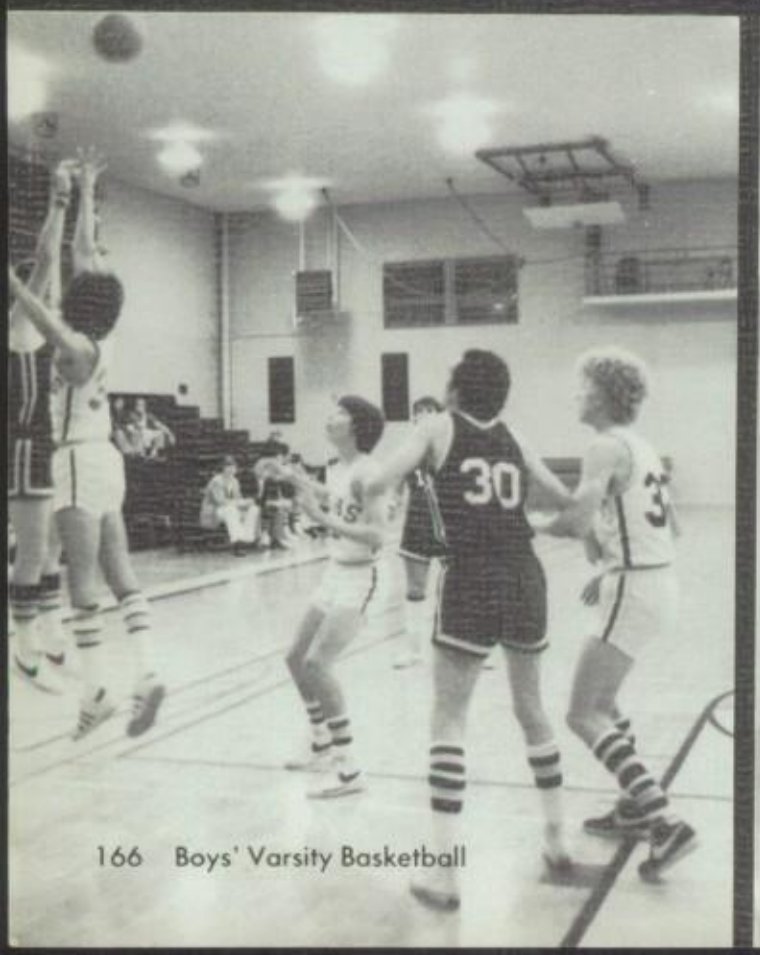
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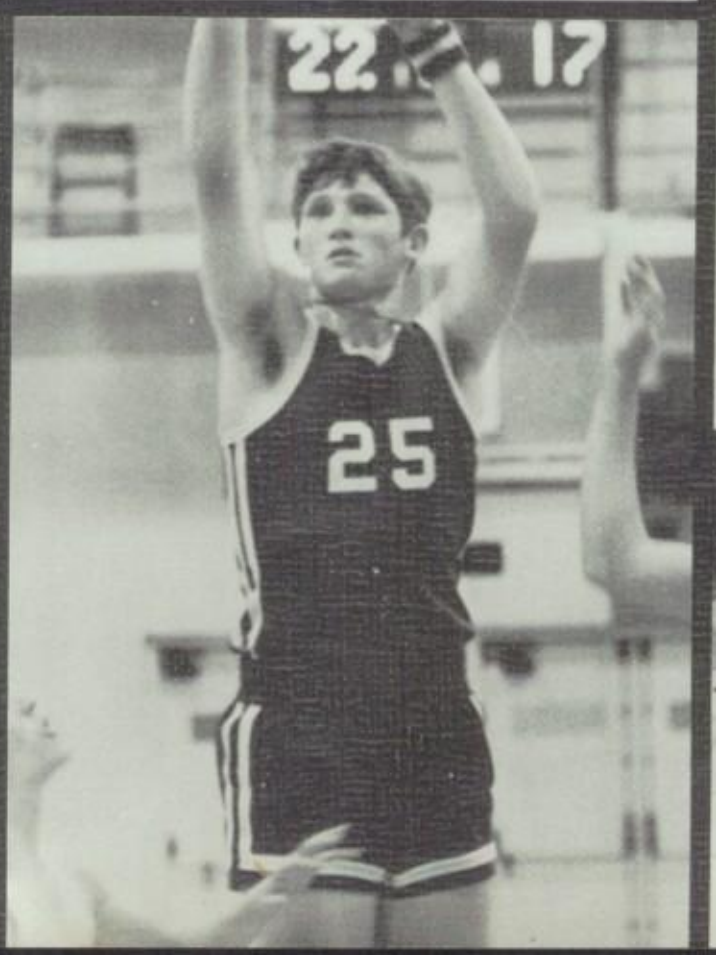
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The varsity basketball team had an interesting season this year. Almost every game was an exciting, well-fought contest that was still in doubt in the final minutes. Unfortunately, more often than not the ball seemed to

BOUNCE the other way near the end of the game. Even though our team's record was only 7-15, they still proved to the opposition that they were a good team.

VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM: Front row (left to right): Brien Fitzgerald, Ron Araiza, Tom Sliger, Pat MacDonald. Back row (left to right): Coach Jim Clesson, Dan Navarro, Bob Rostohar, Bob Gstettenbauer, Steve McGrath. Not pictured: Mike Porras, Tom Connor.

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1. Tom "Tex" Connor ropes another rebound. 2. Ooh, good job, that was a nice air ball. 3. Bob Rostohar: winner of the scoring title of Ventura County. 4. Getts shoots his favorite shot — a free throw.

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VARSITY SCORES
League Play

Seraphs		
75	Villanova	49
52	Fillmore	57
53	Moorpark	49
40	Bishop Diego	38
33	Carpinteria	36
58	Villanova	55
51	Fillmore	55
75	Moorpark	59
64	Bishop Diego	69
59	Carpinteria	68

Probably the most exciting game of the year was against Santa Ynez, in which the Seraphs came from a deficit of fifteen points near the end of the third quarter to **WIN** the game in double overtime. Even though this was only a preseason win, the team still entered the league with high hopes, winning the league opener at Villanova. After a loss to Fillmore, the team won two games in a row, and hopes of the league championship were high. However, close losses to Carpinteria and Fillmore ended this hope. The team finished the season in fourth place with a 5-5 league record. Hopes for next year, however, are high, as Ventura County's leading scorer Bob Rostohar, will be returning.

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1. The 2-1-2 defense seen from under the Seraph's basket. 2. Rosty shoots over the stars and everyone in the county. 3. Coach Clesson instructs his "gentlemen." 4. Mike "Ponylegs" Porras plays the wing on the 1-3-1 offense. 5. Looking good, Mike shoots for two. 6. Fitz: "Spare me, Killer, block my shot?" 7. Rock'em Sock'em Rock'em Sock'em T-O-M. 8. Steve Shaft shooting for one. 9. Big Mack shoots from the side. 10. Little Araiz with a fastbreaking layup. 11. Sliger shoots over the high-flying Conqs. 12. Bob Rostohar: Named Player of the Year by the coaches of the Tri-Valley League.

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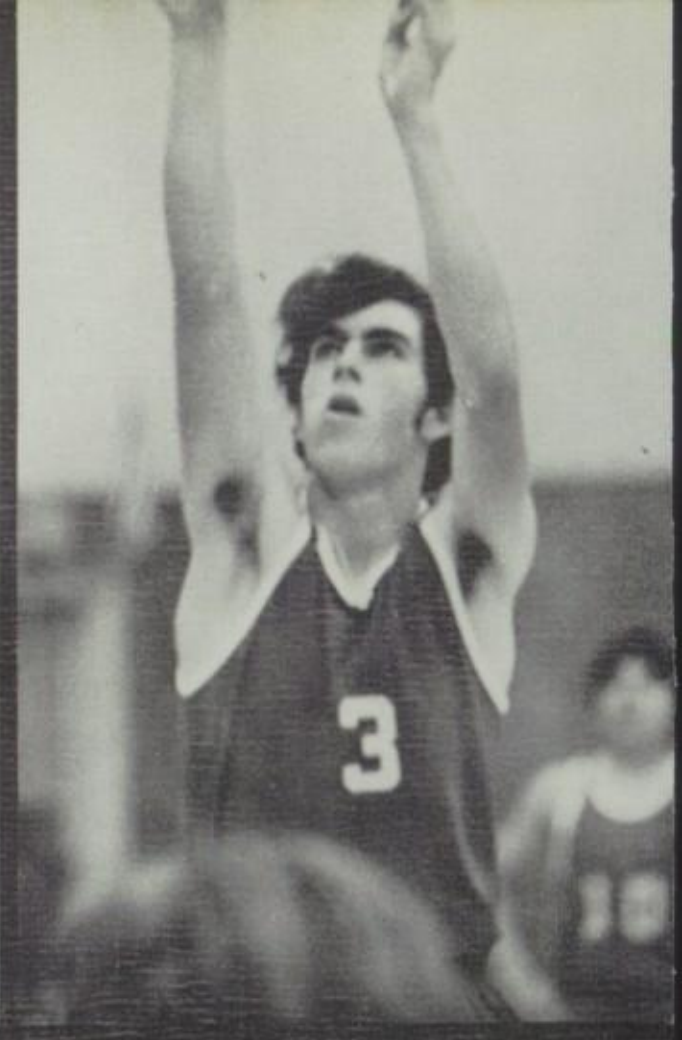
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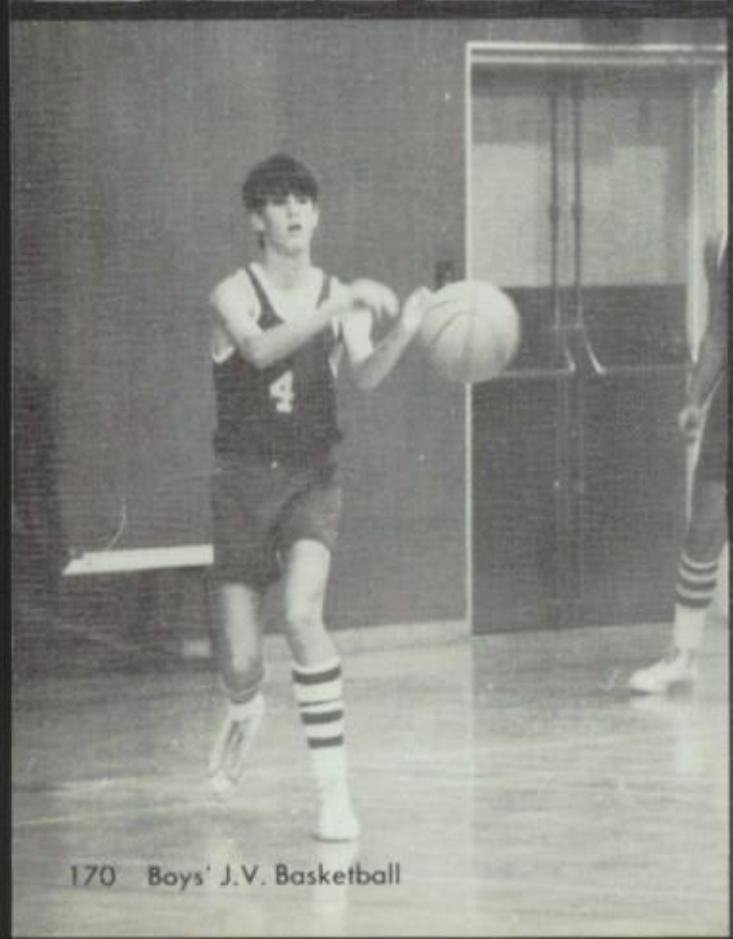
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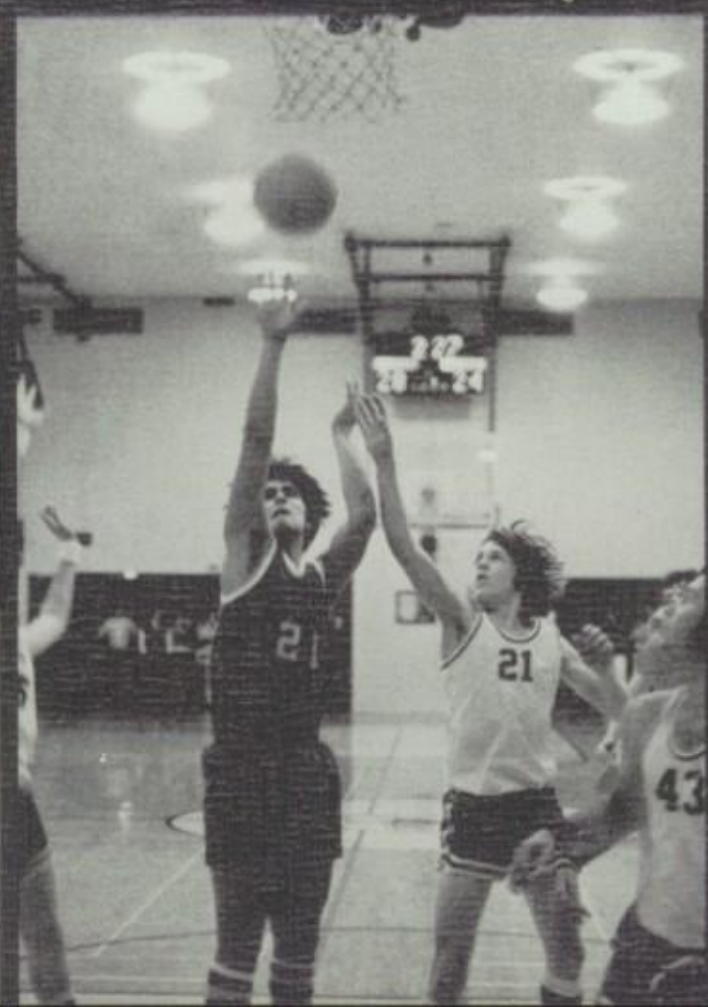
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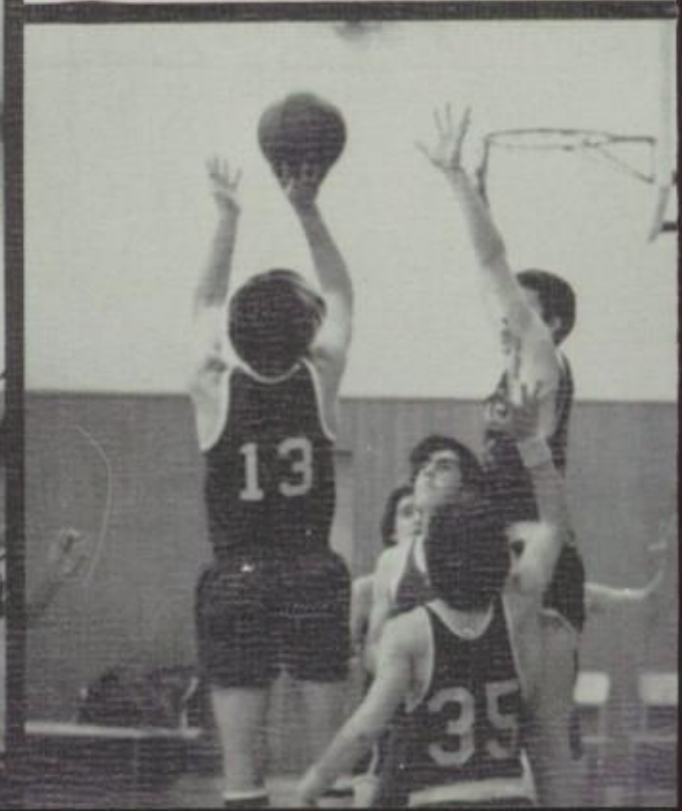
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J. V. BASKETBALL TEAM: Front row (left to right): Mike Patterson, Pat Reardon, Manuel Castro, Tony Carranco. Back row: Coach Baldwin, Jim Patterson, David Sisemore, Marty Adams, Ken Kohr, Tom Mahoney, David Brock, manager. Not pictured: Kevin Navarro, Frank Hendrick, B. J. Scott, Pat Burke, John Wenker.

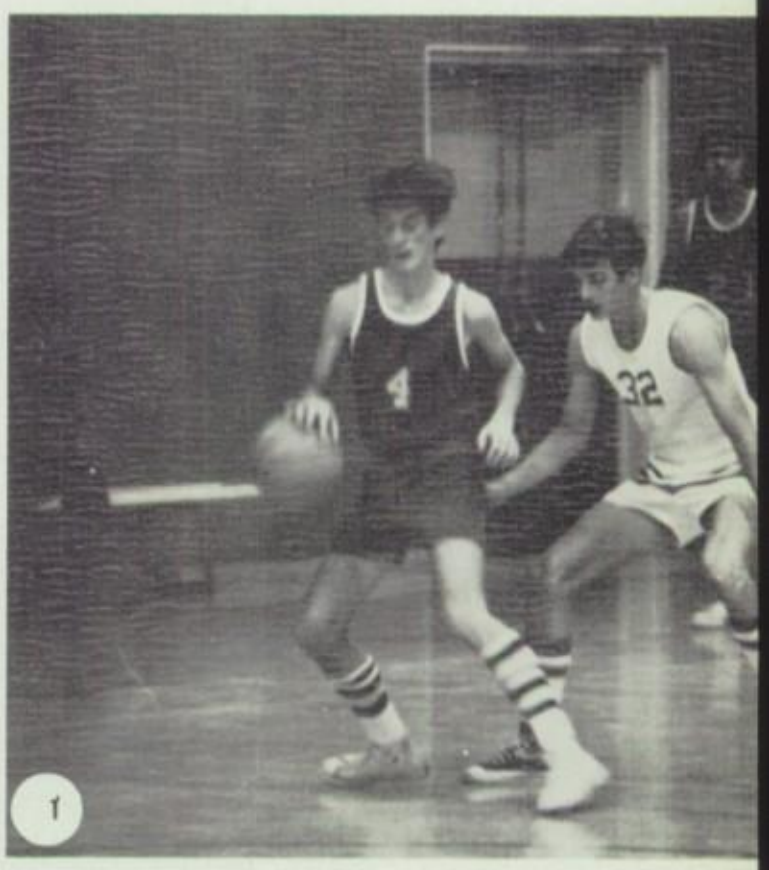
Many of next year's Seraphs are to be found on the junior varsity team. This is a good sign, because the JV's

were **CO-CHAMPS**

of the Tri-Valley League this year. The league season began badly for the team, as they lost three of their last five games. But they put together a four-game winning streak, enough to gain the co-championship even though they lost the final game to the other co-champion, Carpinteria.

J. V. SCORES
League Play

Seraphs		
68	Villanova	42
40	Fillmore	75
37	Moorpark	35
52	Bishop Diego	61
42	Carpinteria	60
47	Villanova	42
51	Fillmore	41
51	Moorpark	48
50	Bishop Diego	48
60	Carpinteria	61

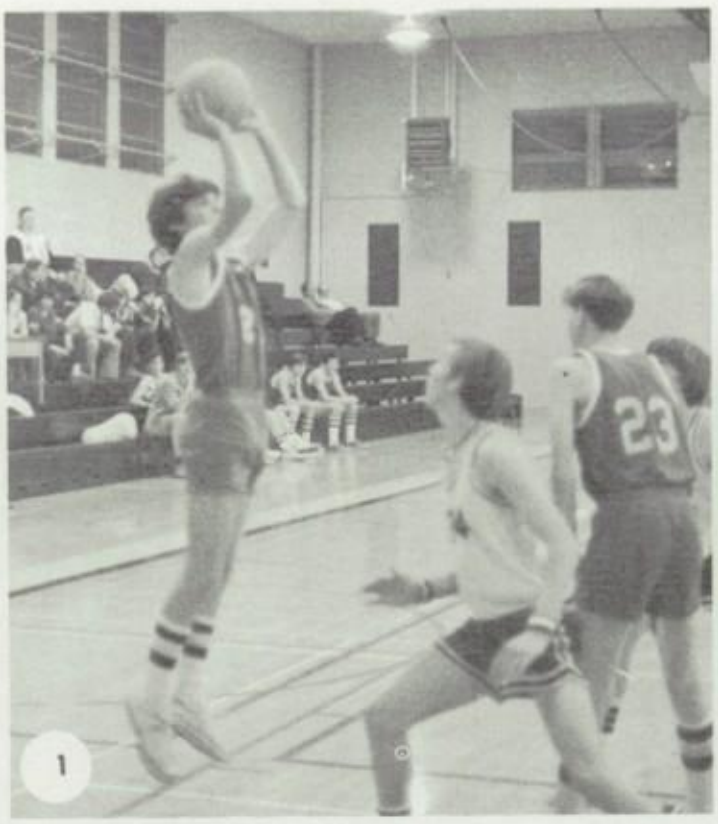


1. Mike Patterson puts on some wheelin' and dealin' against Bishop Diego. 2. Ken Kohr shoots one of his percentage shots. 3. David Sisemore and Manuel Castro control the defensive boards. 4. Tom Mahoney gets low-bridged from Villanova.

To attend a J.V. practice session, one would think that all the team did was tease, joke, and chop each other down. They messed around a lot, which made the coach dish out practice laps, or

"TOUCHDOWNS,"

as the players called them. This may not seem good to a lot of coaches, but it brought unity to the team, and helped to achieve a league co-championship.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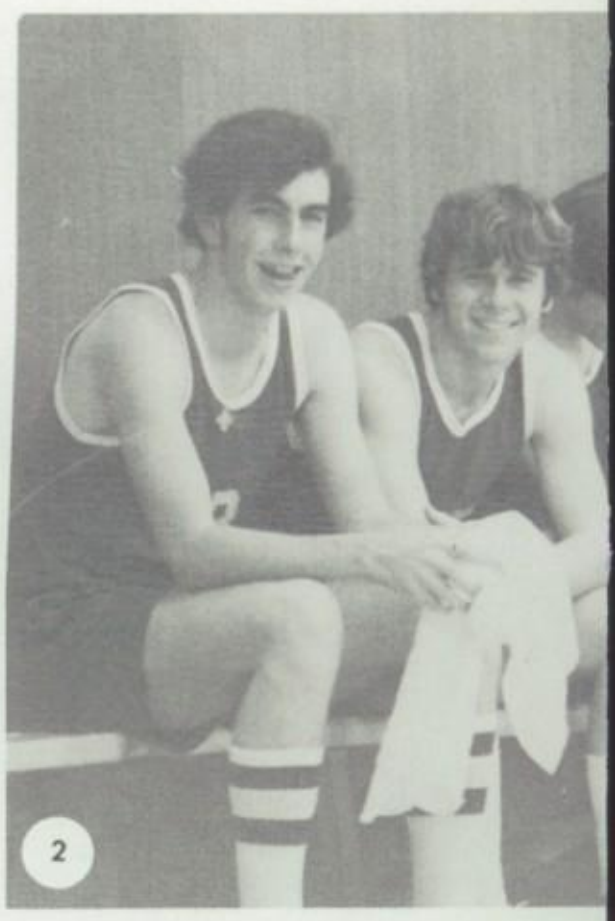
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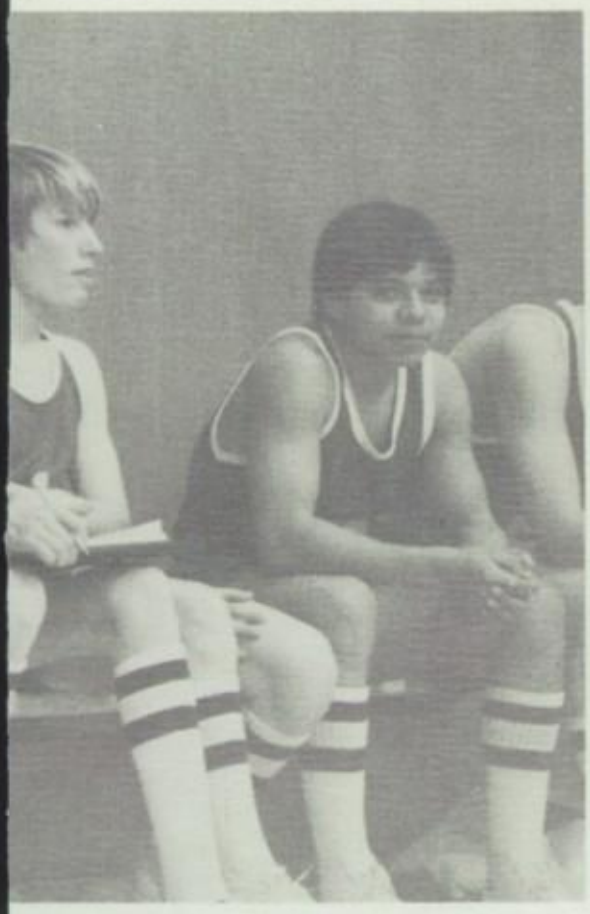

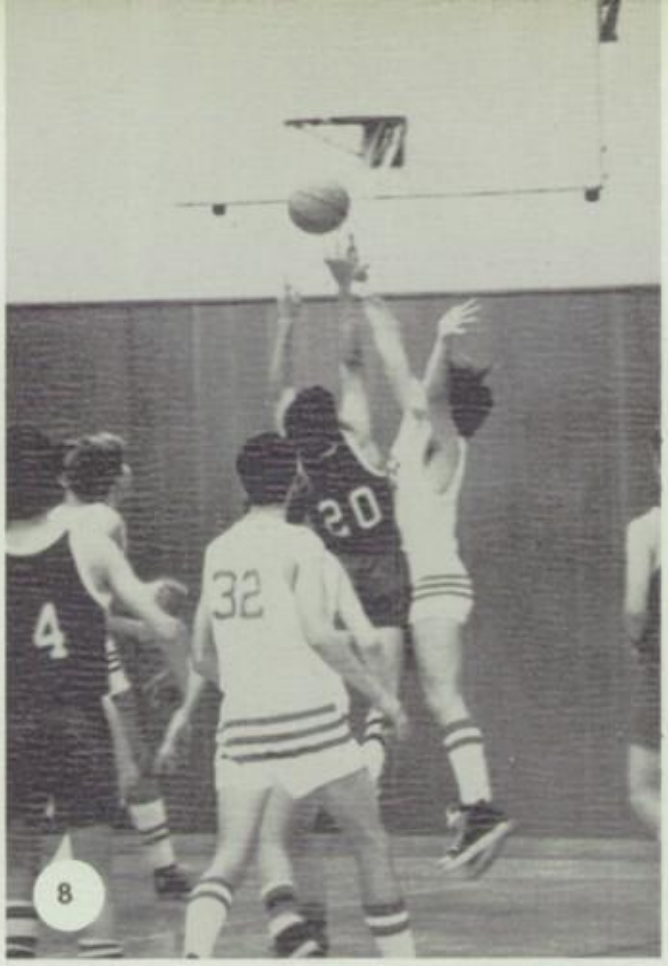

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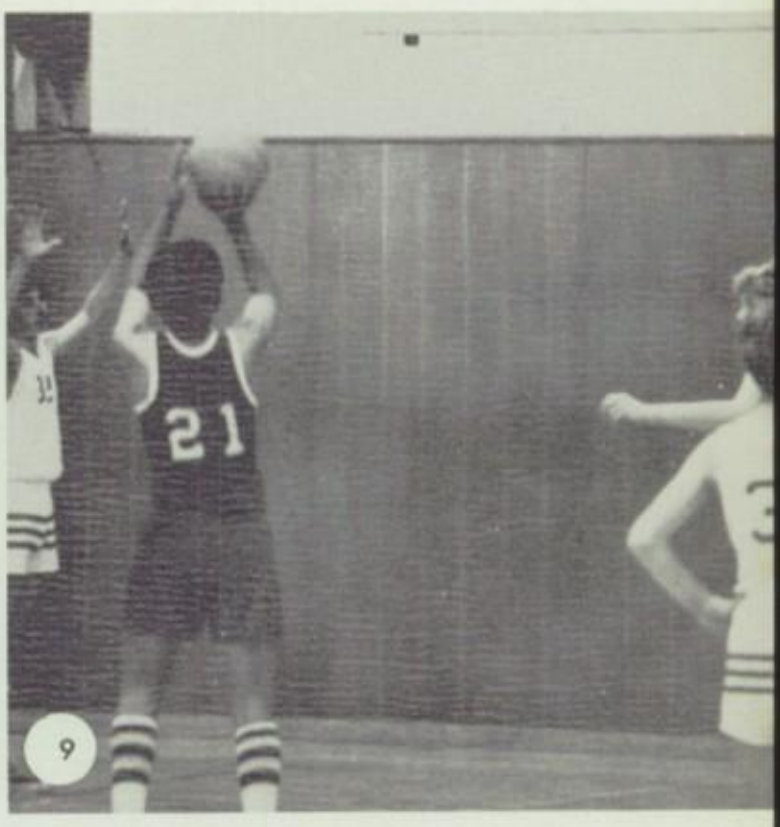

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1. Pat Reardon with his famous two-handed jump shot. 2. The bench club with the best seat in the house. 3. Pat Burke with the opening tip-off. 4. Manuel Castro shoots an easy two footer. 5. Frank Hendrick attempts a flying layup. 6. Readon brings the ball down with no problem. 7. John Wenker's "special" own freethrow shooting. 8. Pat Reardon drives the lane for a layout. 9. Manuel Castro completes a three-point play. 10. Ken Kohr skies for the tip. 11. B. J. Scott shoots in the pre-game warm-ups. 12. Kohr scalps the Warriors on the tip. 13. Mike Patterson looks for the open man.

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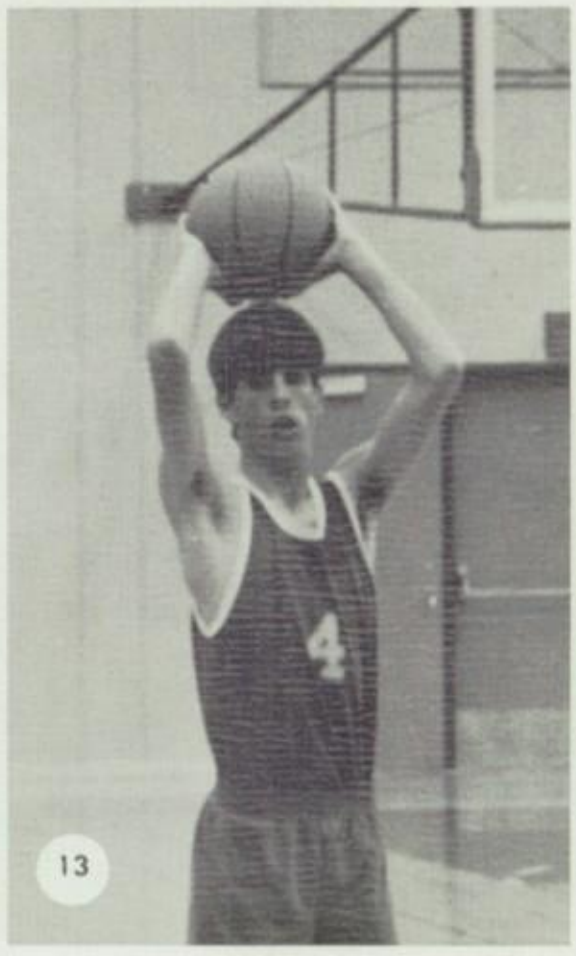

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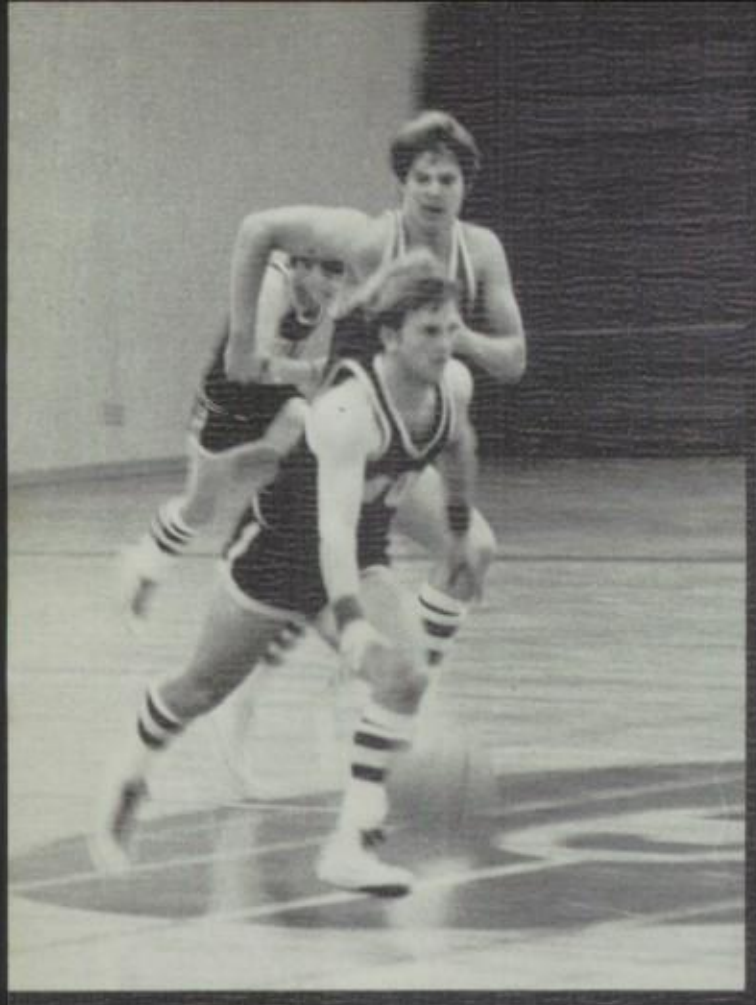

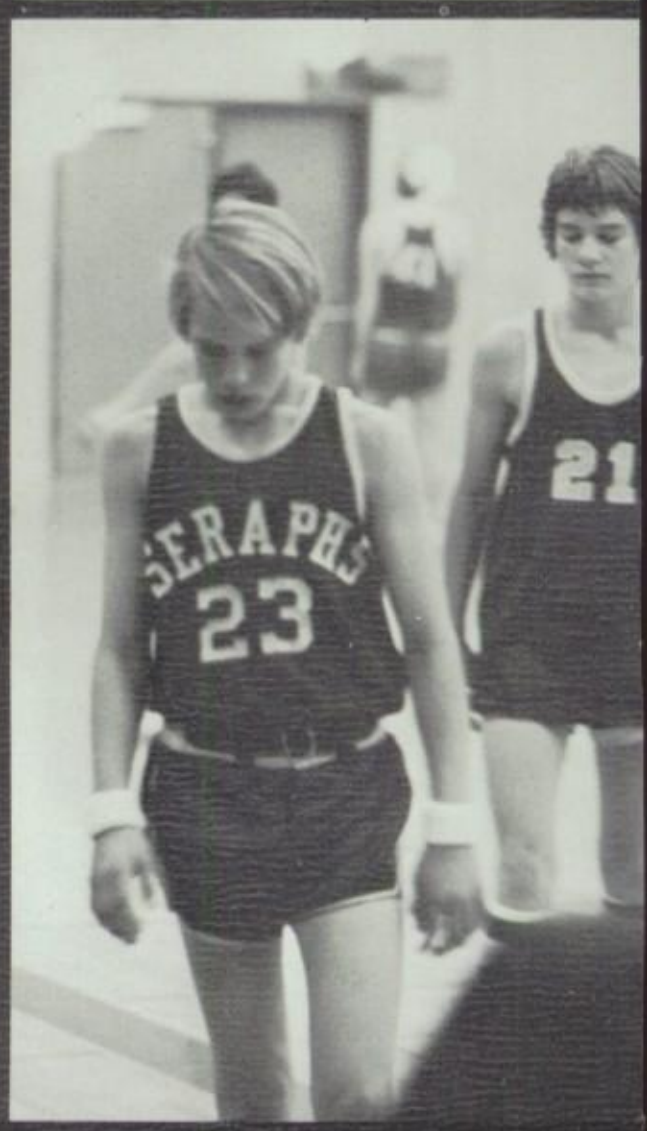
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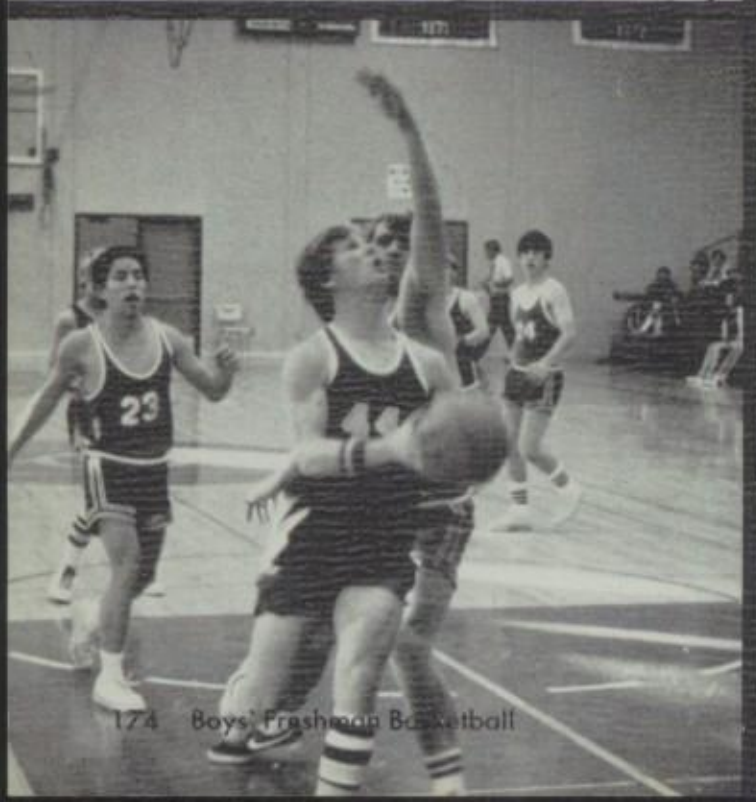
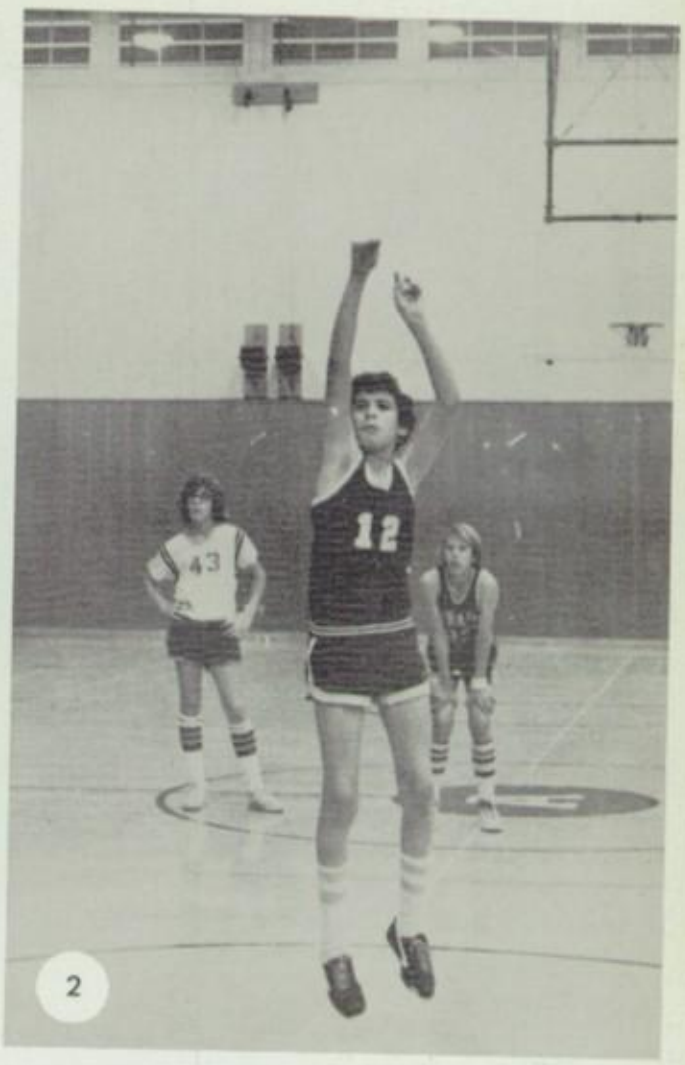


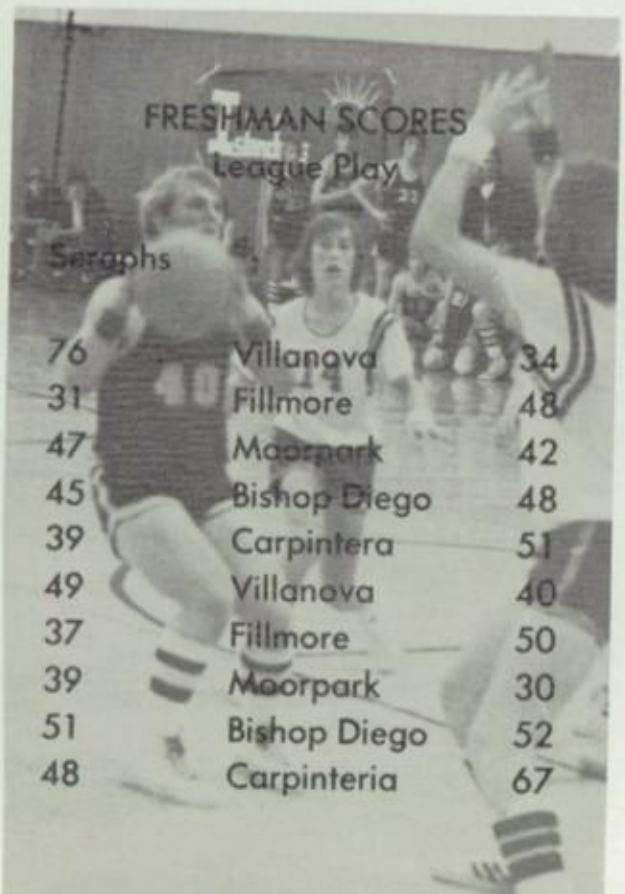
The YOUNGEST

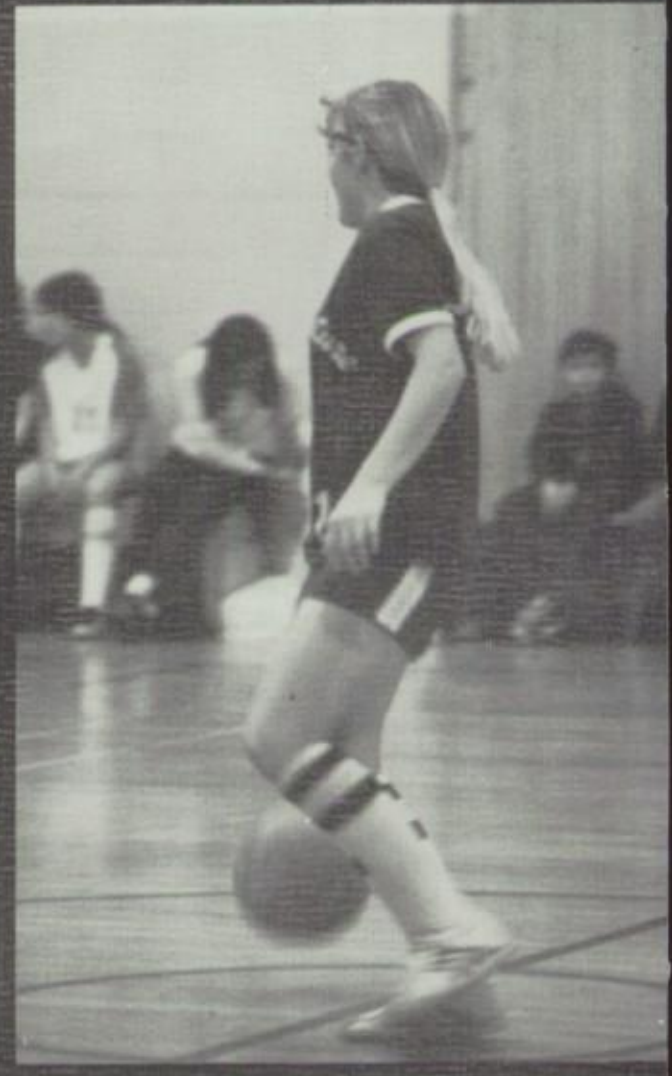
Seraphs of the future are on the freshman basketball team. They may not look like the varsity, but there are a lot of similarities, including fourth place finish in the Tri-Valley league, and a 5-5 league record. Overall, the frosh posted an 8-13 record. It was not an outstanding season, but the players had a lot of fun.

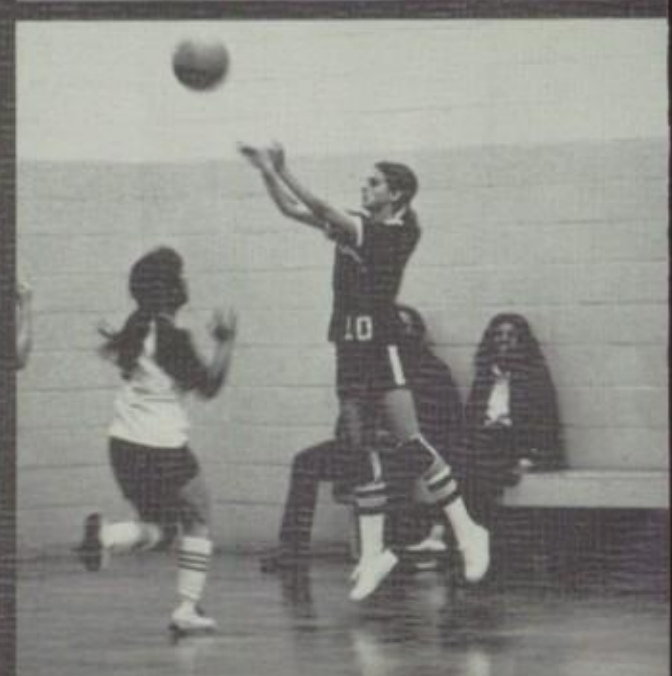


FRESHMAN BASKETBALL TEAM: Front row (left to right): Rene Cordero, Tom Mellring. Second row: Peter Hendrick, Randy Araiza, Mike Lancett, Bruce Melhorn, Greg Frank. Third row: Coach Giberti, Kevin Cobey, Kief Fitzgerald, Jim Patterson, Marty Adams, Vince Burns, Brian Neary, Richard Giberti.

1. Mike Lancett's fast break, base line shot. 2. Another free throw power, Randy Araiza. 3. Kief Fitzgerald towers over Carp for the rebound. 4. Greg Frank starts the offensive play.







VARSITY TEAM: Front row: K. Thomas, C. Martinez, K. Strickley, T. Pierce. Second row: C. Tingstrom, M. Traverse, M. Sliger, M. Franchi, E. Costello.

AMBIDEXTROUS

is the key word needed to help form a good basketball team. And this year the Girls' Varsity Basketball team put it all together. With their fancy footwork, quick thinking, deceiving passes, and on-the-spot shots, and cunning ability, they opened the season with a 43-30 win against Carpinteria. As long as the team keeps up with these standards, a C.I.F. position is practically a guarantee.

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VARSITY SCORES
League Play

Seraphs		
28	Villanova	15
43	Carpinteria	30
27	Bishop Diego	73
35	Moorpark	24
36	Fillmore	59
43	Villanova	26
51	Carpinteria	37
28	Bishop Diego	74
35	Moorpark	33
35	Fillmore	46
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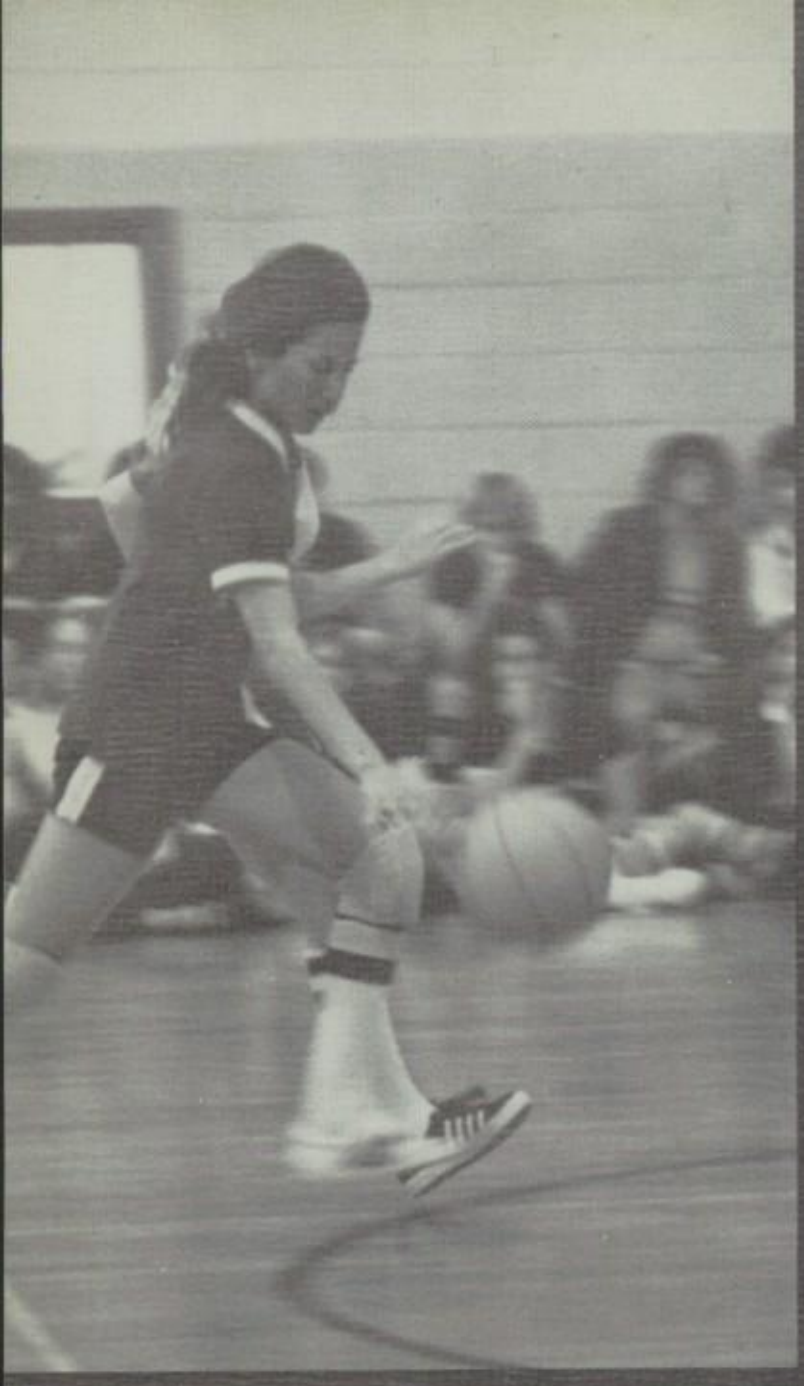
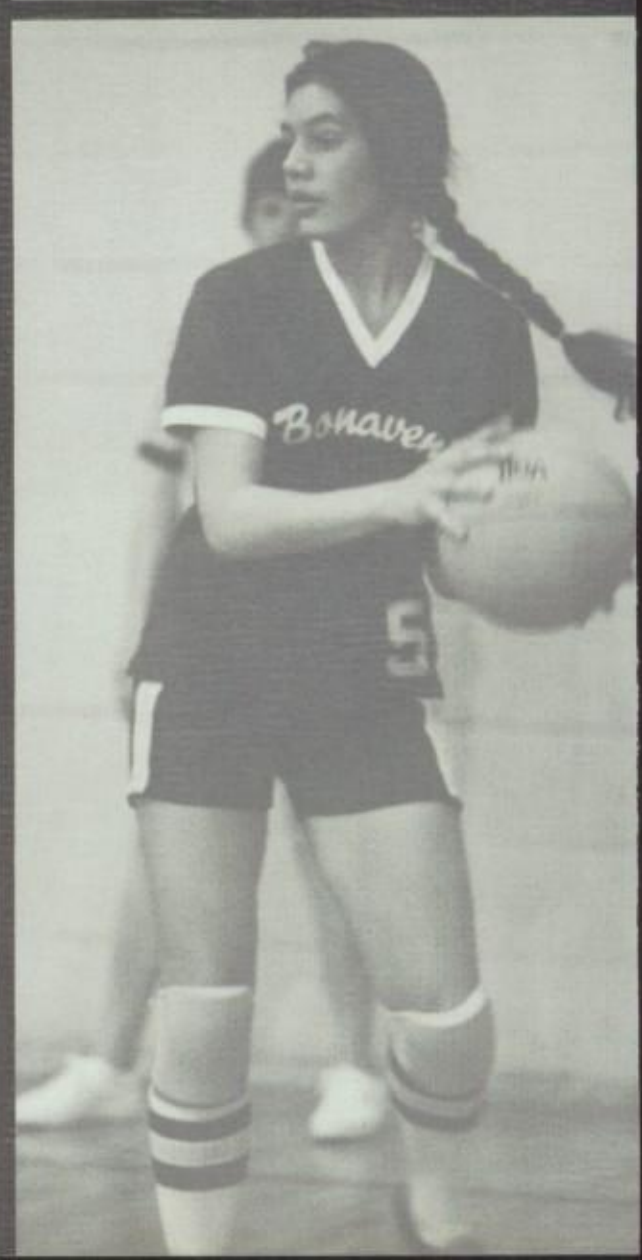
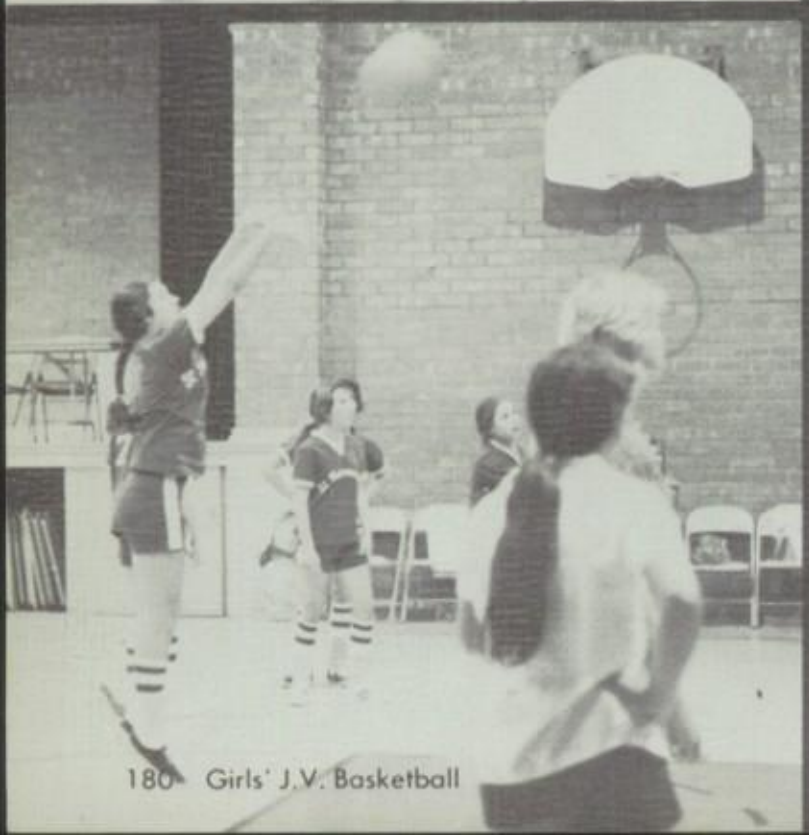
1. Teammates walk away from a victory. 2. Mrs. Navarro gives advice during a time-out. 3. Kim shows good form as she attempts a free throw. 5. Michelle signals that she is open. 6. There are many expressions on the bench. 7. Moose shoots a free throw that gets another point. 8. Chris shows concentration as she aims for the basket. 9. Kim goes down as adversary tries to steal the ball. 10. Eva tries for two as the other girls wait anxiously. 11. Kim waits patiently down court for the pass. 12. Melinda dribbles her way toward the goal.







TRUCKING in dark green shorts and multicolored tennis shoes down a long wooden-floored court is the Girls' J.V. Basketball team. As the last few seconds tick away on the clock the team still succeeds in gaining points. The team, working together well, never sees a moment wasted. And this year they are doing their best to be the best.

J.V. TEAM: Front row: T. Flores, C. Bailey, G. Lara, A. Pozos. Second row: G. Van Gundy, L. Kern, M. Reardon, M. Shanahan, L. Colitti, M. Mendoza.

J.V. SCORES

Seraphs		
41	Carpinteria	15
30	Bishop Diego	28
56	Moorpark	16
45	Fillmore	21
60	Carpinteria	18
47	Bishop Diego	23
48	Moorpark	25
54	Fillmore	24

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1. The team huddles before a game. 2. Mary shows style as she gets ready to shoot. 3. The girls listen intently as coach Navarro speaks.

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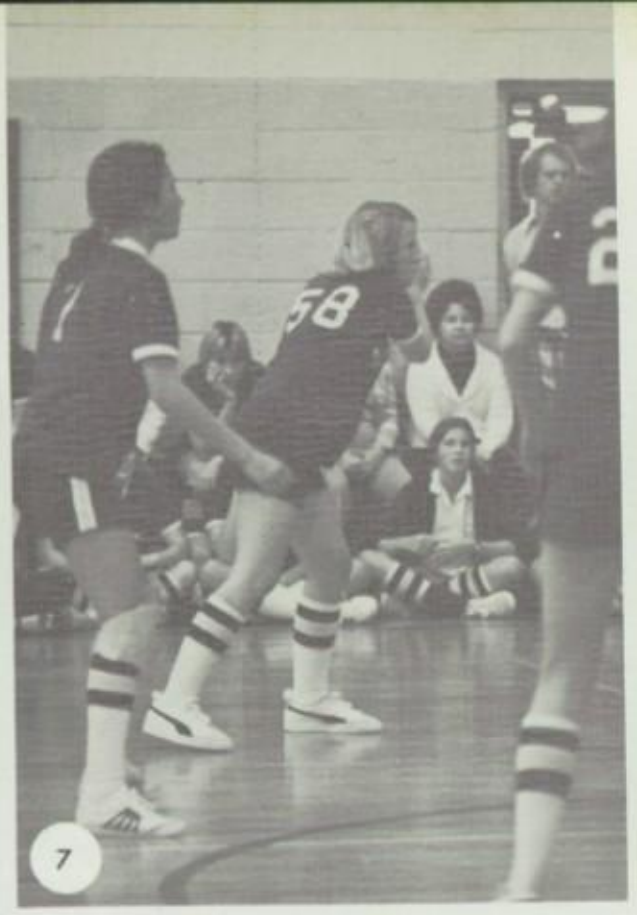

1. Gina waits down the court for a play to begin. 2. Players smile as opposition misses a free throw. 3. Liz passes under challenger's arm. 4. Lauren stretches and strains to tap the ball. 5. Michelle scrambles for the ball. 6. Gina tries for another goal. 7. Gina attempts a pass as Cheryal looks on. 8. Cheryal takes a good step. 9. Lauren keeps on trucking. 10. Liz awaits the outcome of her pass. 11. Tina keeps going as opponent moves in fast. 12. Gina shoots one for one. 13. It's a tie as Liz and opponent jump!

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Michelle,
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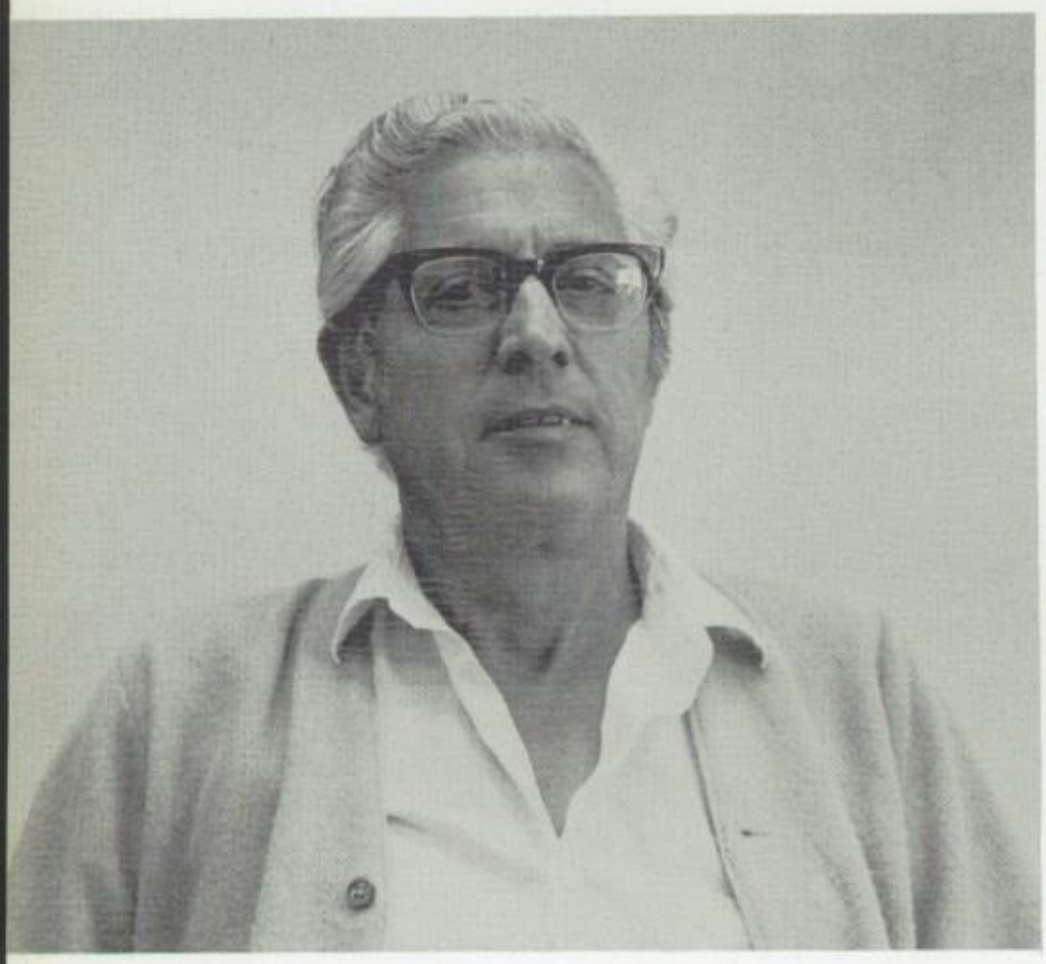

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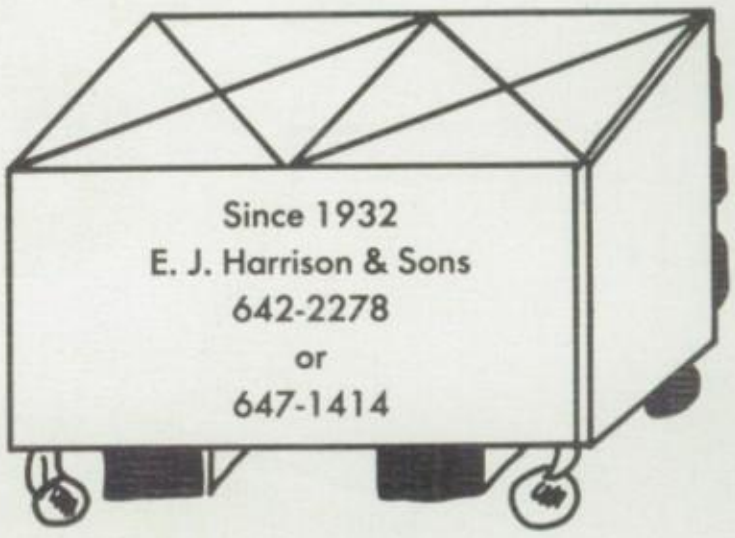

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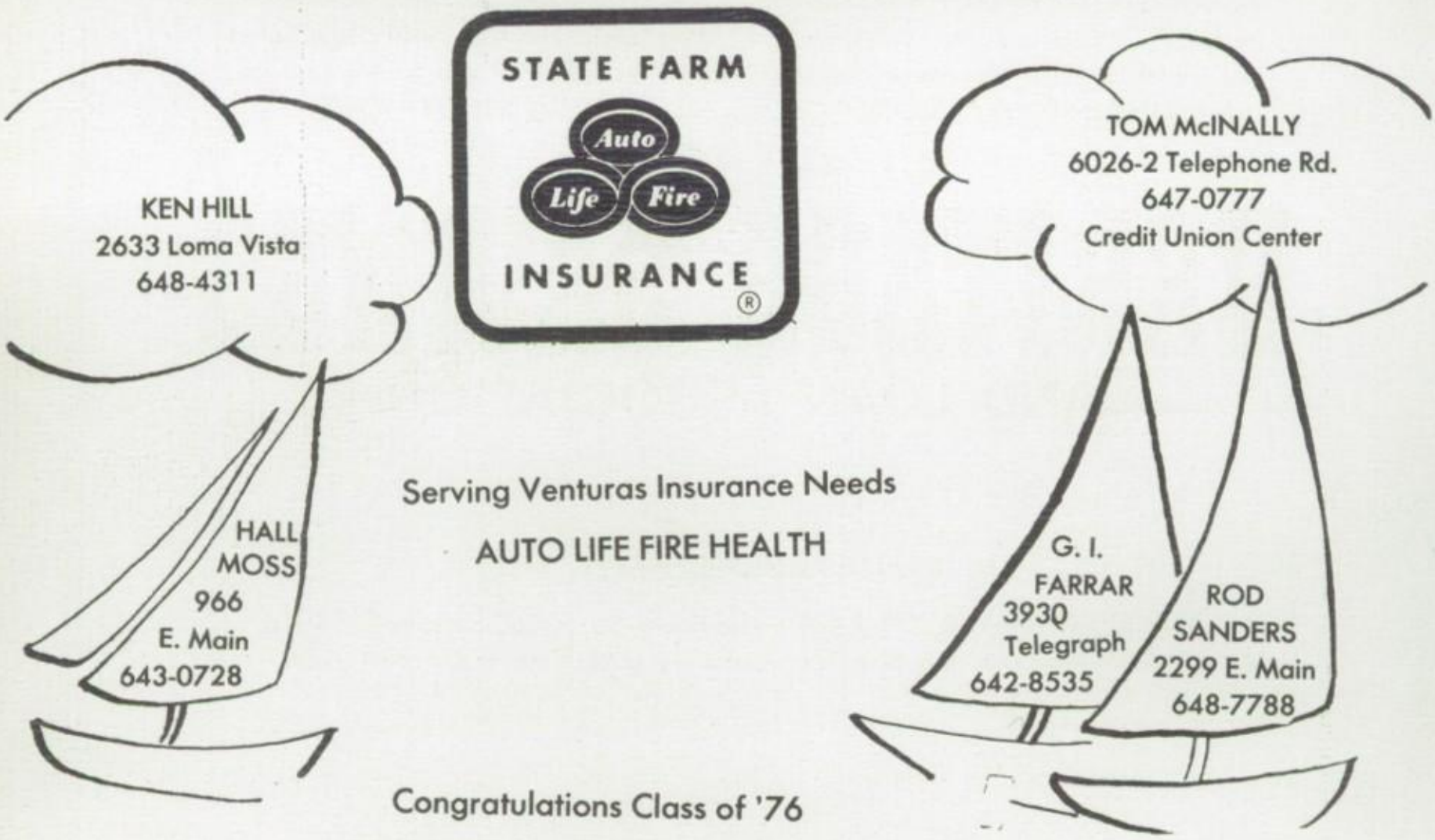

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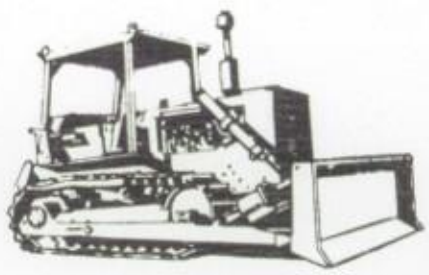

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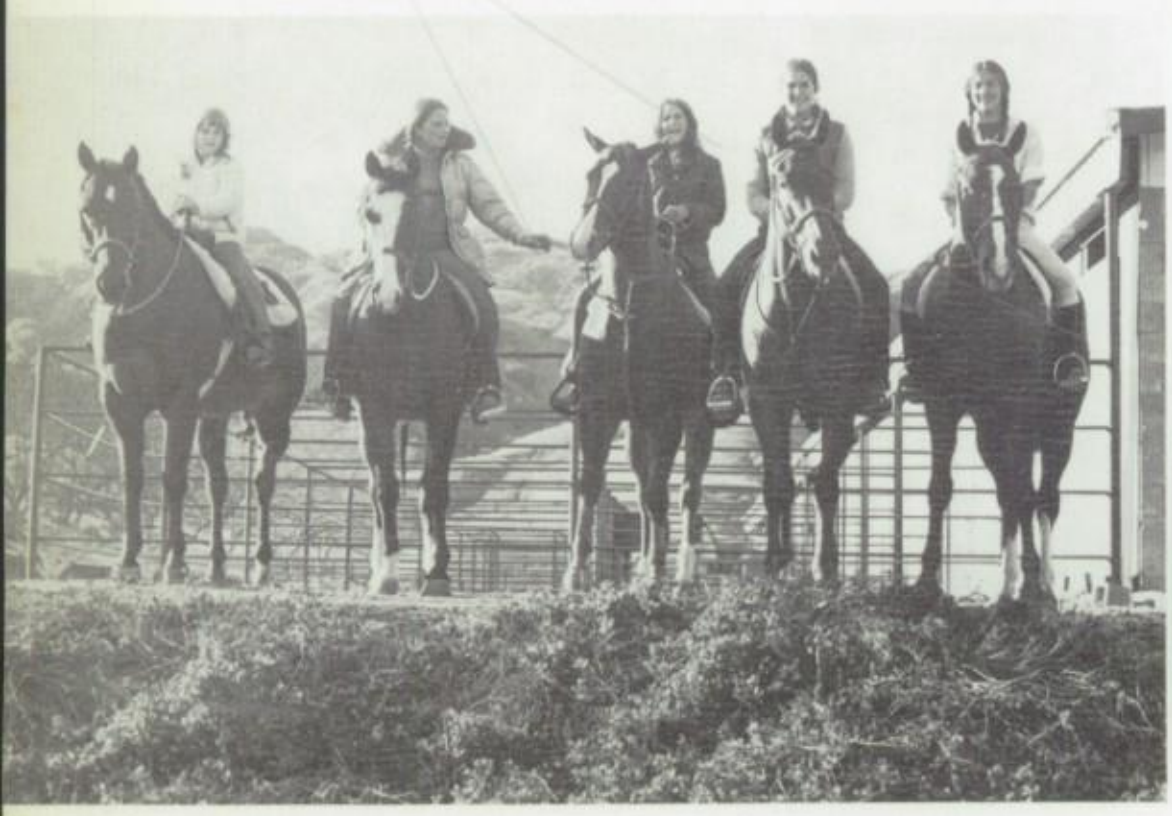

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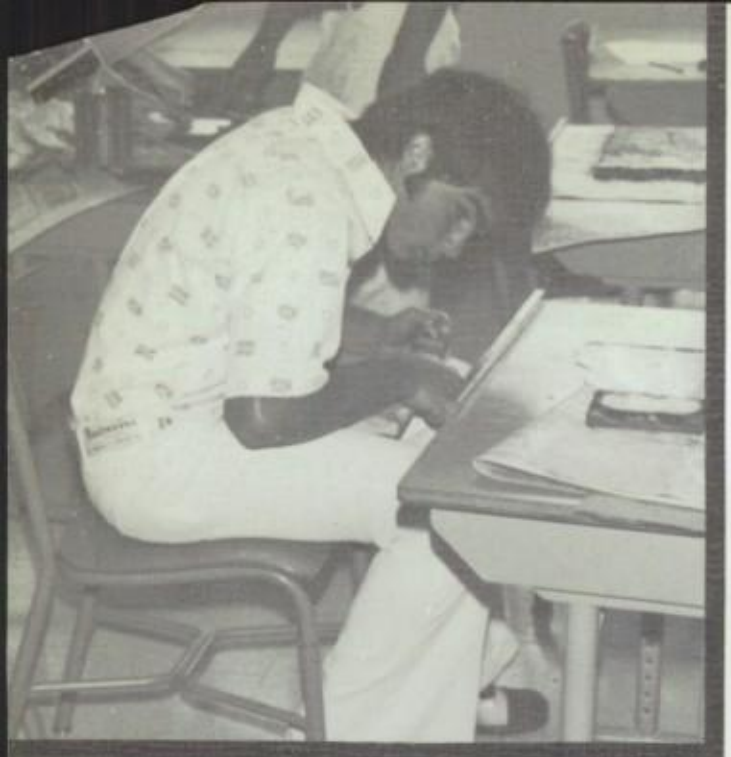
Have a fun summer. See you next year.
Roseanne MUELLER

Hi Shell,
One more year then away we go. Sad, huh? I'm not ready to leave yet. Then what do we do. I guess just go to college. This pen doesn't work very well. I hope it doesn't smear! Well I hope we get to be better friends next year. Have a good summer. See you next year. Love Kim

Michelle,

You are such a great person that I never knew until I met you. I am really the better for it. You are a beautiful person, and a great ~~winner~~ ~~Returner~~. I am looking forward to school & the following with you next year, have a great summer -

Steve Bushwall



AUTOGRAPHS

Since I am the first
to sign on this here-by
aforementioned autograph page...
... I will.
Jon Boyd

Michelle,
Well, just think
12 yrs of school together
AND I bet you are just tired
of me and my dumb jokes. But
it has been fun and I hope you
have a great summer.
Have Always
Anthony Thorman

Michelle,
We really had a great
year this year didn't we?
I hope we become better
friends next year (It's our last year to know)
See you around Luv Robert
GENDRON

Michelle,
It has been
really fun this year.
I hope we are friends
next year so hope
summer.
God loves you
Bobby
Brady

AUTOGRAPHS

Michelle,
Its been great Always seeing you and Sylvia cruise the halls good luck in whatever you do and Have fun this summer!

Love
Lisa
THORPE

Michelle - how does it feel to be a Senior now! you should feel real good! You'll be one of the best! I really hope you had and will have a great year! Have a simply great, wonderful & whatever else Summer! See you in September! Love
Franny
Hicks

Dear Michelle,
Hola! Como estas ustede? Muy bien you dose
Well I am so glad Spanish is almost over.
I can hardly wait till summer. It's so
nice and sunny today. Well I hope were
in some classes together next year. So
have a neat summer and maybe I'll
See you. Patty Mellring

Michelle
it was really
nice having you in
history. I was in your
sisters math class, she
is very smart & so
she makes me look
Have a good summer.
Love Teb
collins

"Michelle, you have to
speak up more in class
its good for ya. Believe me.
because yours to quiet in
class ya this fall in
school again
love
Steve
McGRATH

Michelle,
Kep your voice (and bod) in shape; We need it! Love
Rob O'Neill

Steve Colfman

Michelle
you for being my friend and helping me in Chemistry. I never would have understood that organic chemistry without your help. I hope you have fun always Good luck
Love
Melanie '76

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The Seraphs of '76 — This is your history.

Stephanie Glatt
Yearbook Advisor

Traverse

Michelle,
It's been really nice knowing you & having you in the choir. You're really a terrific person. See you next year in drama. See you in the summer in choir.
Love,
Siobhan
Geary

Dear Michelle,
It was such a good year. I hope being a junior was fun. You really a sweet friend and these past two years of knowing you have been wonderful. Thank you for your friendship, and I want you to know that whenever I felt down seeing your pleasant smile picked me up again. Take care during summer vacation, I'll see you next year.
Love
Oresta Mason

Michelle,
May you always walk in the way of the Lord - in His happiness & peace.
Rich George
Fr.

Michelle,
Just one more year and your life really begins! You're such a giving person and the Christ within you really shines. Hope we can continue to find Him together.
Take care,
diane
EHREN

Dear Michelle
I've known you ever since 7th grade and yet I still don't know what to write for you. I can just wish you a happy summer and thank you for letting me sign your yearbook.
Phillip
Hicks

Michelle,
I will always remember the fantastic retreat we shared together. God's love really spread special person that you are and how you showed it. There are so many experiences ahead of you! I'll always remember to ask the Lord to come with you.
All my love,
Kathy B. EARD

Michelle,
Home fun! I don't know how much longer I'll be in Folkgroup.
Take Care, and keep on singin'
Tim Statterthwaite

Hi there Michelle!
How's it goin' with you? I hope life is turning up all roses for you. Only one more year left. Well, we're gettin' there. Take it easy & keep smiling.
"REach-out"
Friends always,
Love,
Lisa T. THOMAS

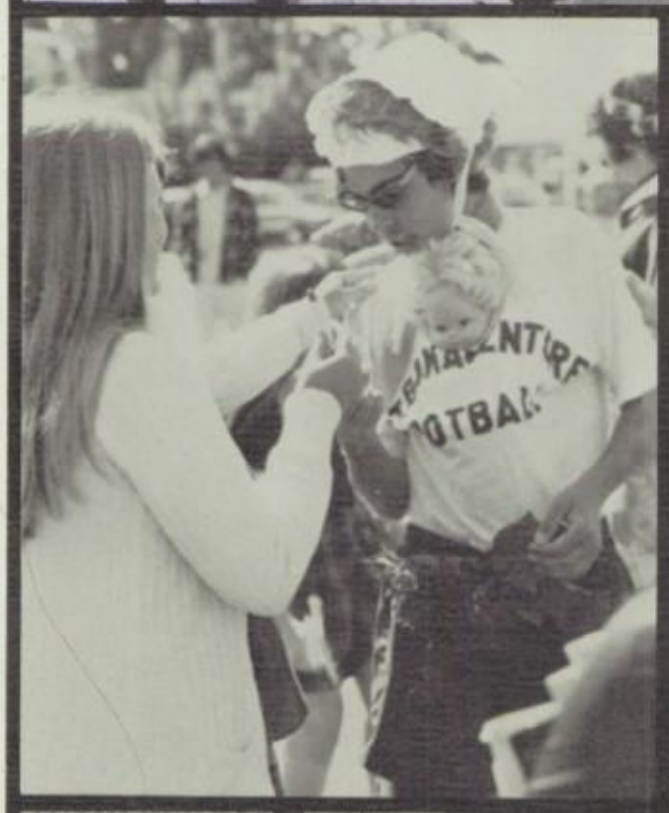
Michelle,
I t was great
having you in my Algebra
and Chemistry classes. Especially
Chemistry with all those great experiments
Have fun next year at S.B. in the
Love Ross PHILLIPS

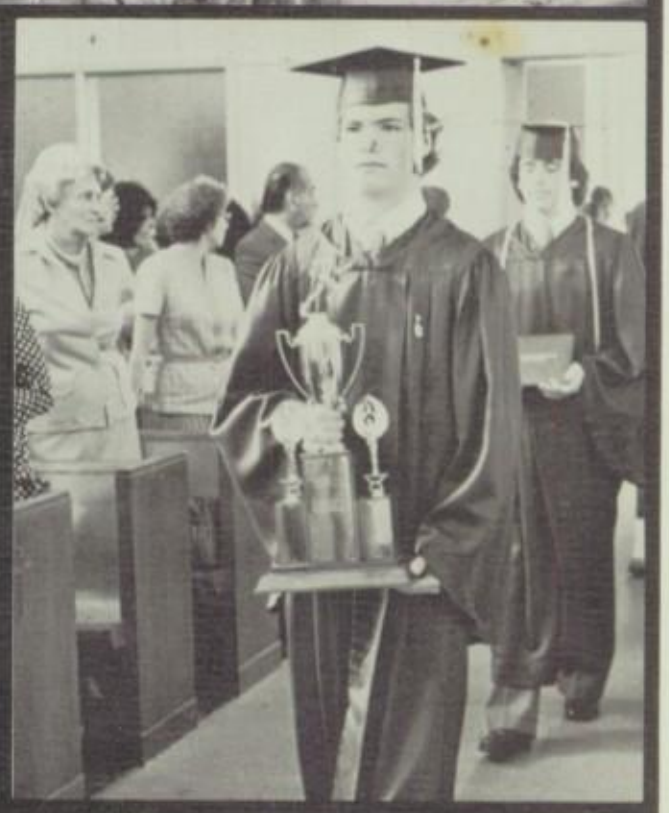
Hello Shelly,
I got tired of the name Sandy and of the name Shelly! So now I'll call you Shelly. I was down in the dumps about Greg, and I wanted to thank you for being a real help when I have a sensational summer, Michelle, so now I'll call you Shelly. I was down in the dumps about Greg, and I wanted to thank you for being a real help when I have a sensational summer, and Call me up if you're bored! (643-9225)
Melanie ROSS

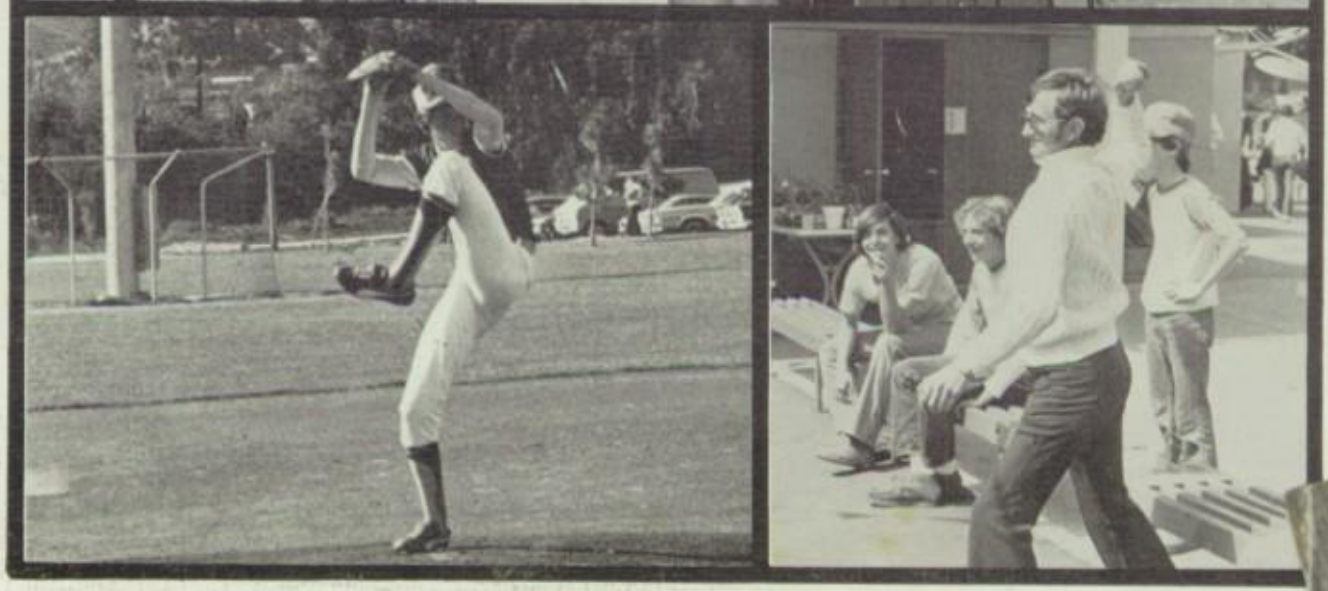
Hi, Michelle,
Be sure and enjoy your senior year at good old Bonaventure. I hope you had a good year. It's been good knowing you. Maybe I'll come to graduation next year. Good luck and always keep a song in your heart!
Your friend,
Pat Russell

Michelle
It was fun in
history class
Have a great summer
and keep smiling
Love ya
Pat Vaughan

M. WEISSHAAR





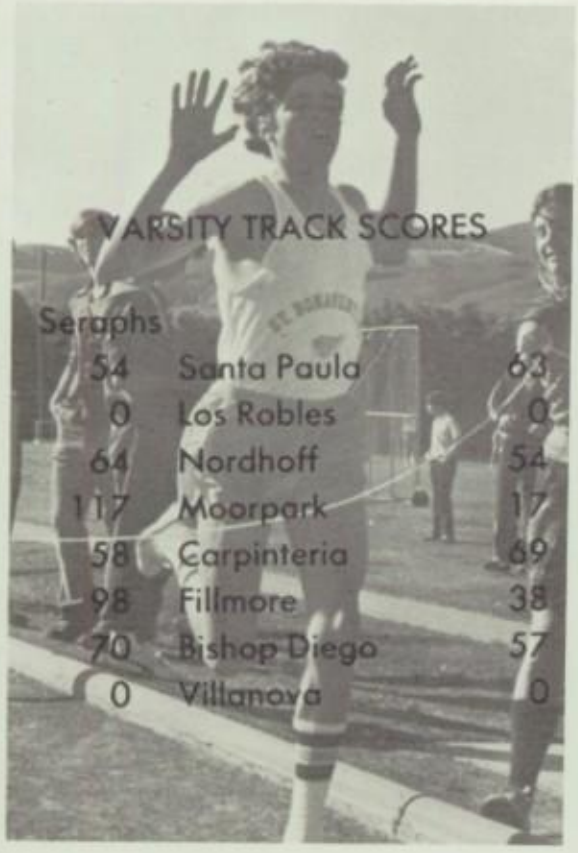


SPRING strikes once a year. It brings restlessness to the students, urgency to complete planned work to the teachers, and the excitement of the fiesta, the play, and the prom to everyone, In spring there are more sports than there are students to participate in them, more activities than there is time to do them. There is the frantic cramming for final exams, nervous anticipation of graduation, and relief when it's all over.

ST. BONAVENTURE
CARPINTERIA

Even though the track team put up a **DEDICATED** fight to keep its League Crown, the Seraph Spikers came up short in the League meet. But perseverance and hard practice, the track team compiled a record of 6-2, and once again proved to be a powerful contender. Though all on the team experienced a successful season, a few received recognition. All-American honors went to MVP Don Ski, Most Inspirational Bob Clifford, D. Pat Miller award winner Steve McGrath, 2 mile record holder Greg Parrone. Also honored was Bob Gsettenbauer, Team Captain.

Back row, (left to right): Coach Paul Spinner, P. Burke, F. Hendrick, B. Schriener, P. Hughes, J. Bendot, R. Clow, M. Porras, D. Ski, S. McGrath, C. Brock, G. Williams. Front row: D. Sisemore, M. Mejia, G. Parrone, T. Boczek, T. McCarthy, C. Held, B. Clifford, P. Kern.



VARSITY TRACK SCORES

Seraphs		
54	Santa Paula	63
0	Los Robles	0
64	Nordhoff	54
117	Moorpark	17
58	Carpinteria	69
98	Fillmore	38
70	Bishop Diego	57
0	Villanova	0

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1. Don Ski is congratulated by Mike Miller after winning the 100 yd. dash. 2. Mike Porras hands off to Don Ski, both members of the champion 440 relay team. 3. Clifford, Boczek, Held, and Burke prepare to run the 440.

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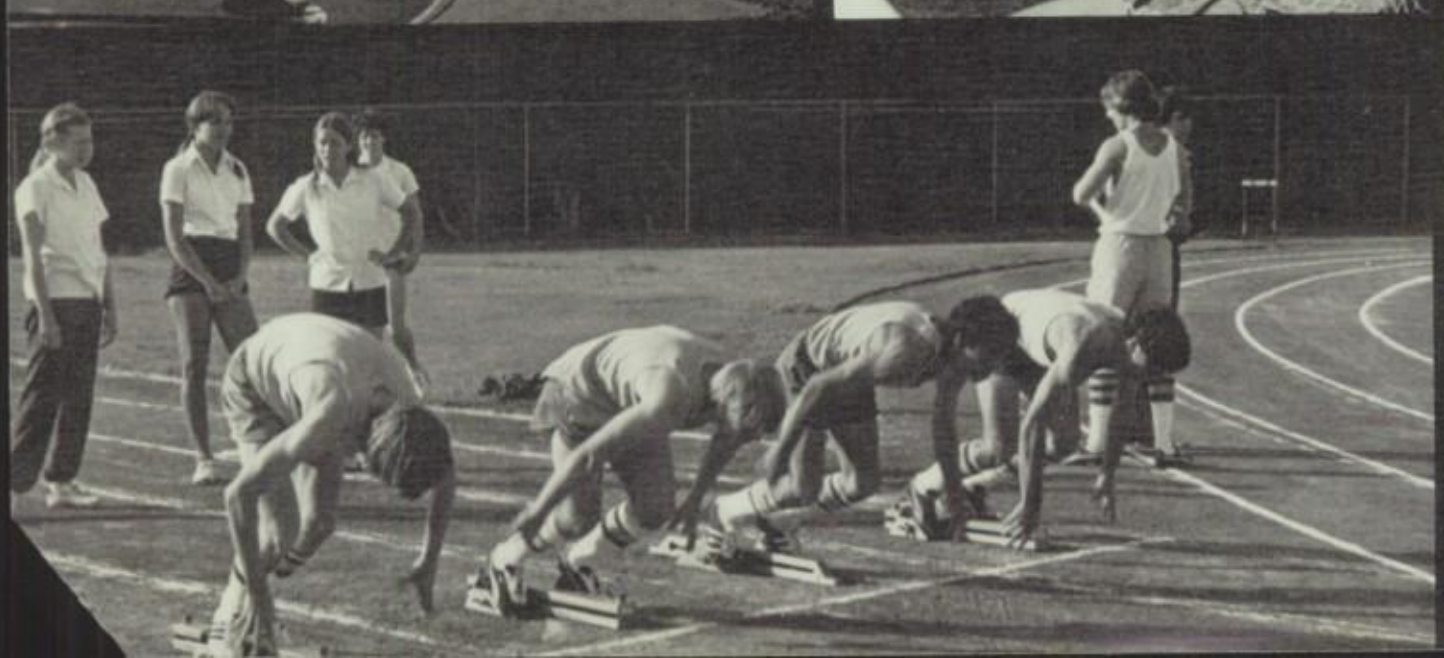

The UNDEFEATED

J.V. Track team of St. Bonaventure, being future Varsity runners, proved that they were quite capable of winning and showed a high sense of competition. Their only loss being the league meet, the J.V.'s became Co-Champions of the Tri-Valley League. With such members as Manuel Mejia, John Poindexter, and Andy Brock, the J.V.'s proved to be outstanding Varsity material.

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1. Manuel wins the 100 yd. dash in style. 2. John Younce shows his form as he glides over a hurdle. 3. Andy Brock sets the soph-frosh pole vault record. 4. J.V.'s sweep the hundred.

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JUNIOR VARSITY
TRACK SCORES

Seraphs		
76	Santa Paula	32
78½	Los Robles	33½
85	Nordhoff	32
118	Moorpark	8
70	Carp	66
101	Fillmore 31	
89	Bishop	41
0	Villanova	0

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Back row, (left to right): Coach Larry Hamlin, P. Hughes, A. Brock, M. Burns, M. Montiel, K. Kohr, and E. Smith. Front row: J. Donovan, S. Mayorga, D. Sisemore, K. McAtee, T. Mellring, P. Hendrick, J. Poindexter, and M. Mejia.

This year's Senior Class sponsored a senior **SLAVE DAY.** Not only did the undergraduates who bought them have a lot of fun, but the seniors did too. It's this kind of event that showed the sportsmanship of the '76 graduating class.

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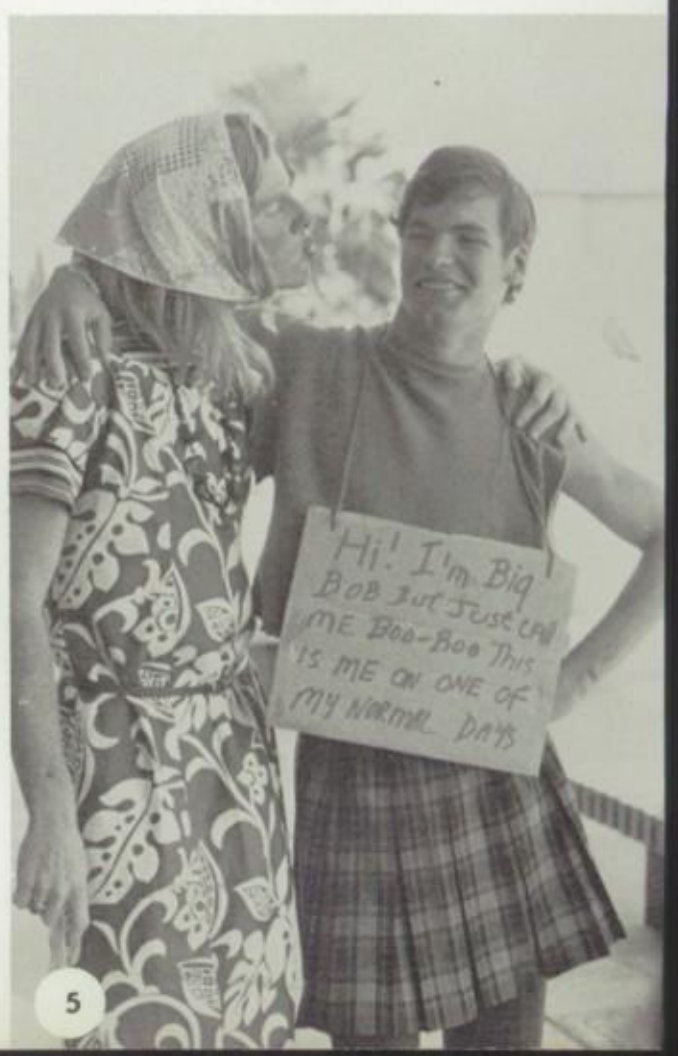

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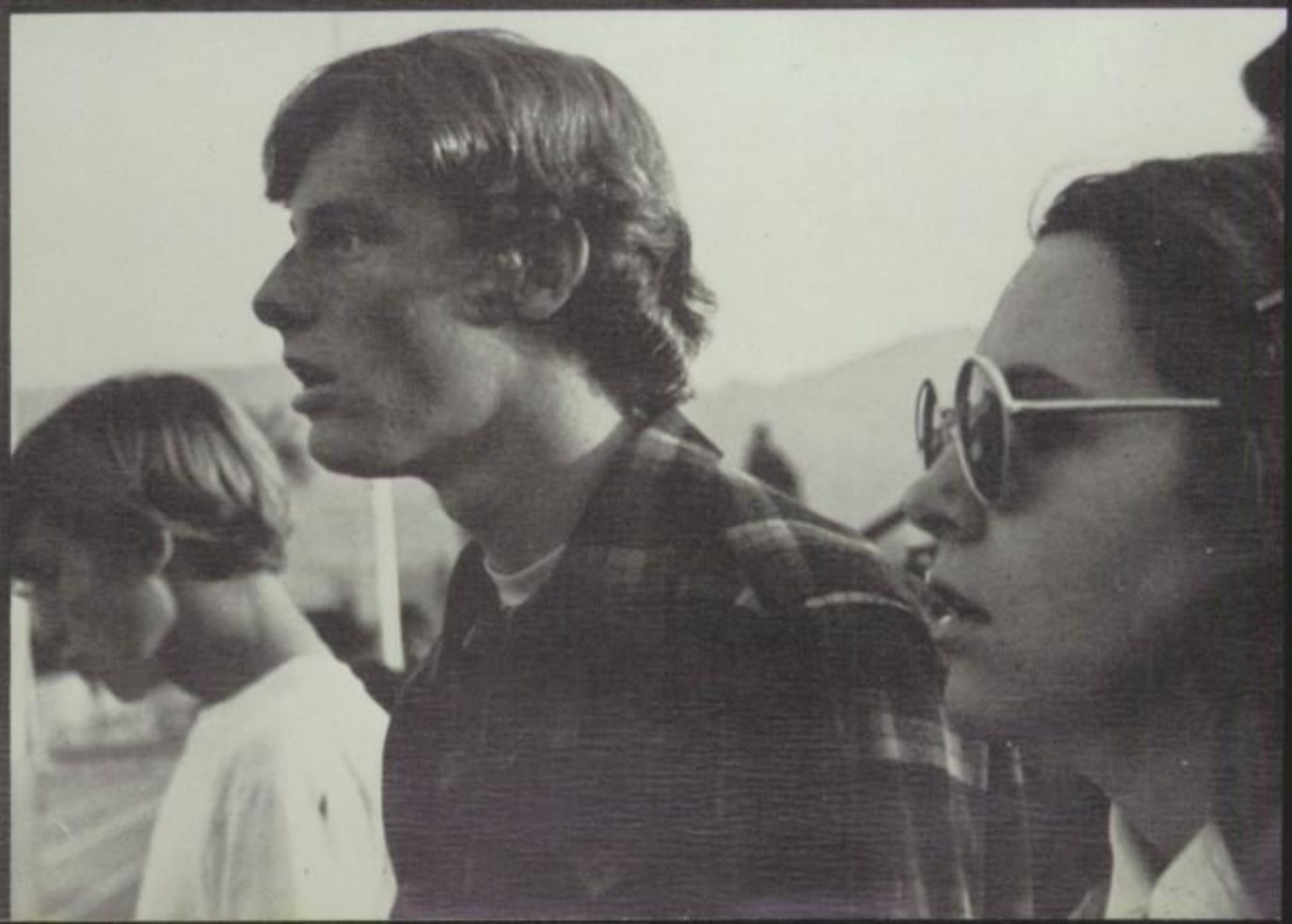
1. Giddy-Up, Ken, the cavalry's coming. 2. Liam: "My girdle's killing me." 3. No caption necessary. 4. Denise and Sandy are FORCED to comply with their slaveowners' wishes. 5. C'mon, honey, how about a kiss? 6. Melinda and Jane — the dynamic duo. 7. Susan Colburn, auctioneer: "And here we have a choice speciman . . . " 8. Paul: "Ain't I a cutie?" 9. Student dress code is strictly observed here at St. Bonaventure. 10. A typical Senior Class Meeting.



The FLEET-FOOTED

Girls' Track Team of SBHS ran away with second place in league competition this year. Thanks to the growing strength of the distance squad, to the efforts of the sprinters, who were gone with the wind, and to the Herculean performances in the field events, the season was a great success. And they also learned: "Left, left, left my wife and 49 children in a starving condition without any gingerbread did I do right, right, right to my country, whoopsee do!"

GIRLS' TRACK TEAM: Seated, (left to right): L. Vomund, R. Ramirez, C. Barrett, S. Spencer. Second row: B. Boland, F. Hicks, Kelly Curtis, L. Kern, D. Colburn, R. Vomund, M. Quijada. Third row: Coach Brisbine, Kim Curtis, G. Lara, D. Long, E. Costello, M. Kern, K. Hoffman, A. Johnson, N. Rodriguez, L. Matley, J. Ramirez.

1. Another first for MVP Cynthia Barrett, as her winged feet carry her over the hurdles. 2. Liz Kern deserved her Rookie of the Year award, as her leaps and bounds carried her to an 8th place in the State Championships. 3. Natalie Rodriguez, most improved player, starts her final sprint in the 880. 4. Perseverance pays off, as most dedicated, Leslie Vomund, breaks the string in the mile.

FIESTA

St. Bonaventure's **FIESTA** is a time to take a break from everything and . . . have fun! Much preparation goes into setting everything up. For days ahead, booths are being constructed, women are running around arranging items in the country store, and students are trying to busy themselves cleaning up the school so they can miss class. The fiesta features something for everyone: games that require skill (and some that don't), mouth-watering Bonnie Burgers, excellent Mexican food, music, fresh produce, and just good time to get together with friends. This year's fiesta was truly a successful event. Many thanks go to the PTG for all their hard work and donated time.

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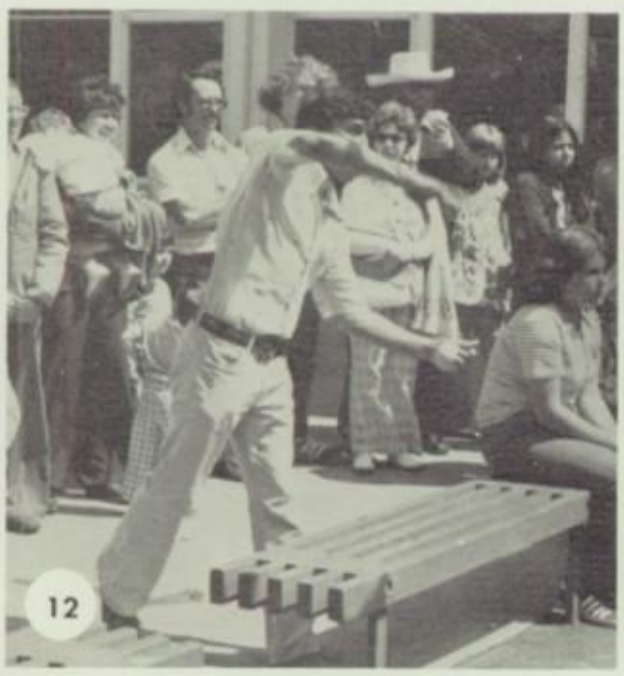
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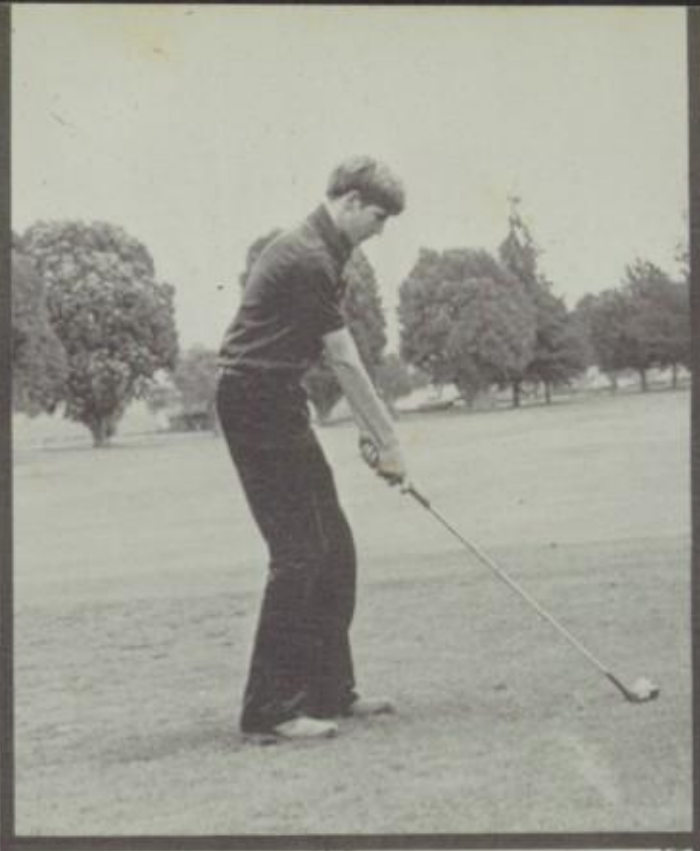
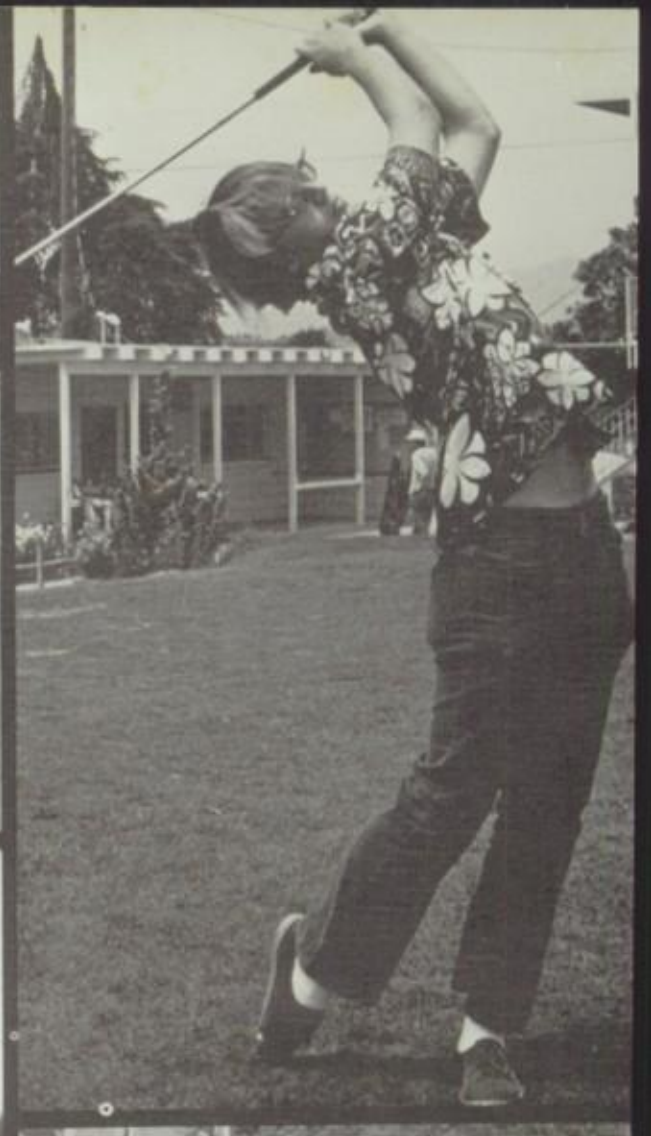
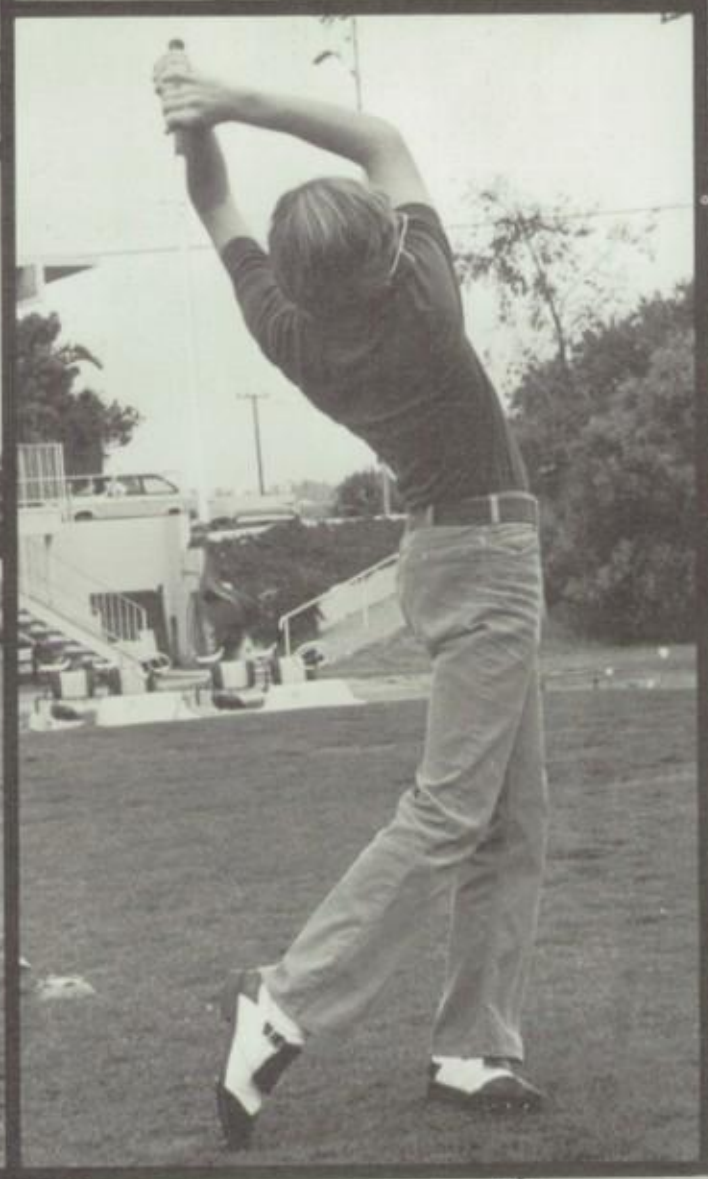
1. Mr. Spinner slyly sneaks up to bump Tom. 2. Tonia is busy at work in the Ring-Toss Booth. 3. Michelle shuts her eyes for fear of what's to come. 4. Norm Pulido roars as Val attempts to climb up the rope. 5. Maria: "Come on, you guys, let me out of here!" 6. Sr. Mary Pilar and Br. Gerald smile as they count all the money. 7. Lynn and Tresa hang on for dear life. 8. Judy helps prepare the delicious tostados for the Mexican Dinner. 9. Entertainment for the fiesta was provided by children from Junipero Serra School. 10. Mrs. Anguiano and Jody stop for a friendly smile while working in one of the game booths. 11. I don't think this goat likes me. 12. Manuel Mejia tries his luck at the dunking booth. 13. Anthony is caught by surprise!







One of the less well-known teams at St. Bonaventure is the **GOLF** team. The members of this team started playing because they wanted to. They found a coach, set up tournaments, and spent long hours of practice on cold, windy afternoons at the Montalvo Golf Course. The result was a satisfactory season (3-2) and a great sense of accomplishment on the part of each member of the team.

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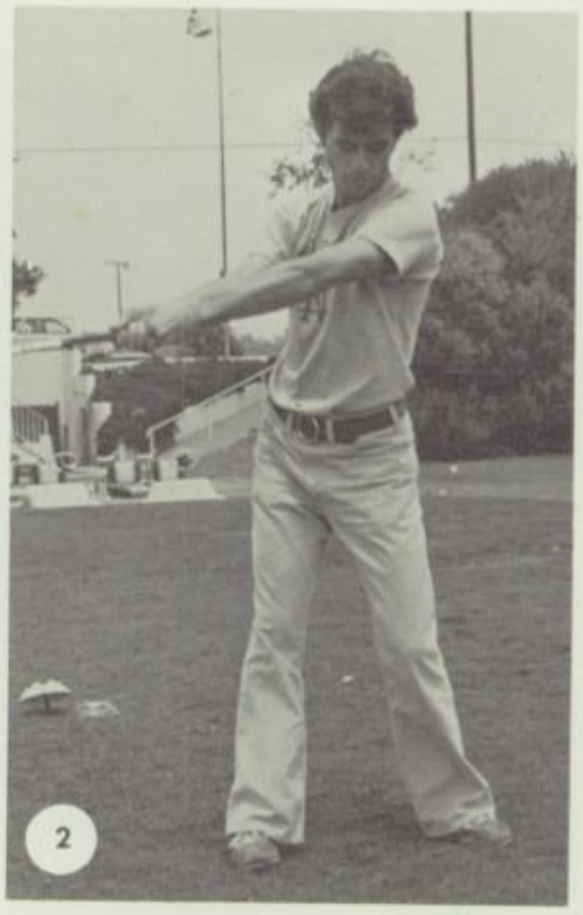

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GOLF TEAM: Left to right: P. McDonald, D. Mellring, J. Wllkey, T. McCarthy, J. Wenker, M. Garrett, G. Williams, Coach Jim Conroy. Not pictured: D. Dufresne, B. Rostohar, B. Tallman, C. Ange.

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GOLF RECORD

Carpinteria	Lost
Fillmore	Won
Carpinteria	Lost
Venture J.V.	Won
Fillmore	Won

1. Dave Dufresne drives the ball hard. 2. Tim McCarthy watches the ball to make sure it doesn't move. 3. Pat McDonald, MVP. 4. Bill Tallman concentrates before taking that all-important swing.

"You Are the Sunshine
of
My Life"
St. Bonaventure
Junior-Senior

PROM

May 8, 1976
Lobster Trap Restaurant
Band — Thee Enchanting Souls

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1. Marie laughs at Robert's sly joke. 2. Denise and her beau, Bill. 3. "Slide . . . two . . . three, slide . . . " 4. Mary Ellen and Tom are all decked out for the prom. 5. Jane lends Liam a helping hand. 6. Ron prepares to pop the question: "May I have this dance?" 7. Chris Kohr boogies down. 8. "Now, do I eat this with a fork or a knife?" 9. Kelly and Frank enjoy the prom. 10. "Ah! Corona, Corona!"

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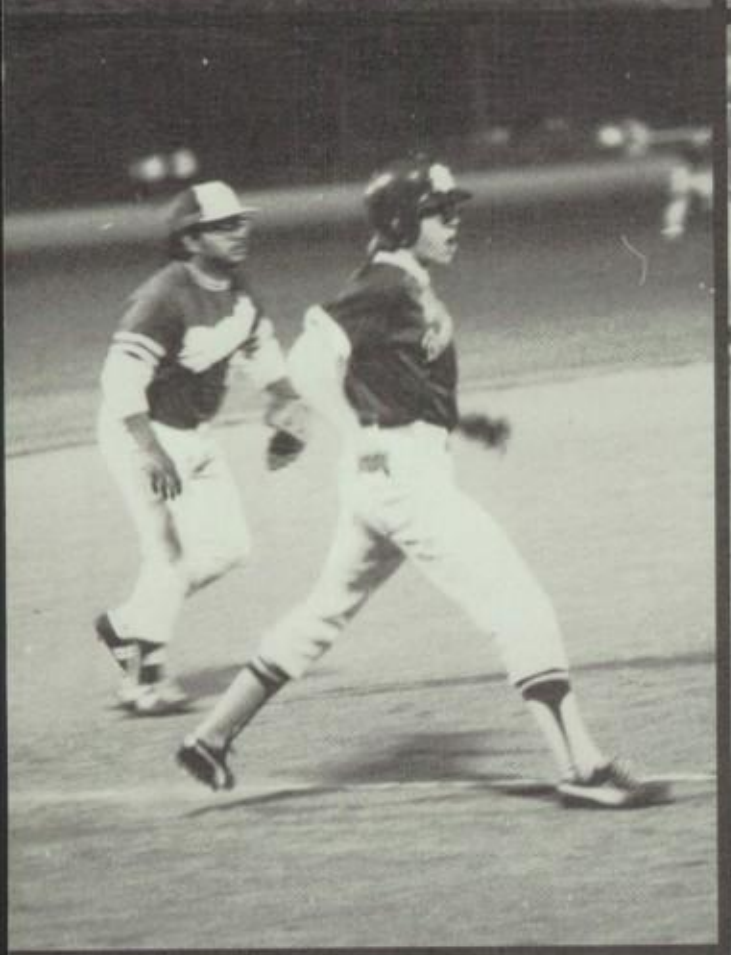

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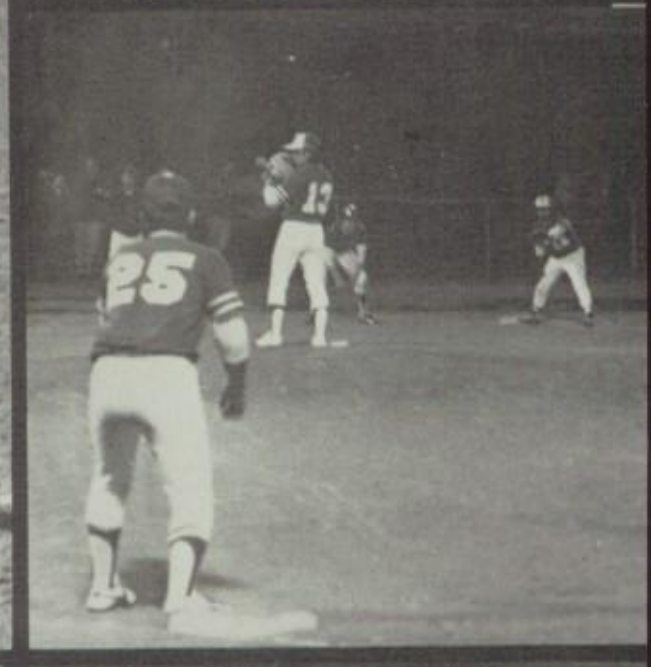

VARSITY BASEBALL TEAM: Back row, left to right: Mr. Marietta, Coach, T. Sliger, C. Mouwen, M. Alexander, B. Erwin, P. Derse, D. Dufresne, D. Serfozo, C. Kohr, N. Pulido, L. Marietta, Mr. Navarro, Coach. Front row: R. Ramirez, T. Blough, D. Drew, L. Gajefski, K. Navarro, A. Antunez, P. Case.

VARSITY BASEBALL SCORES

Seraphs		
1	Carpinteria	3
5	Moorpark	2
4	Bishop Diego	1
8	Villanova	0
6	Fillmore	1
6	Carpinteria	5
8	Moorpark	1
1	Bishop Diego	3
3	Villanova	0
0	Fillmore	3
5	Carpinteria	0
7	Moorpark	5
6	Bishop Diego	0
7	Villanova	0
6	Fillmore 5	

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TALENT is the word for the 1976 Seraph Varsity Baseball Team. Pitcher Lou Marietta and catcher Paul Case were ably backed by a team who played as a team, missing CIF by only one game. Honors went to 1. Paul Derse, 2nd Team, All-League, 2. Ron Ramirez, 3. Lou Marietta, and 4. Paul Case, 1st Team, All-League.

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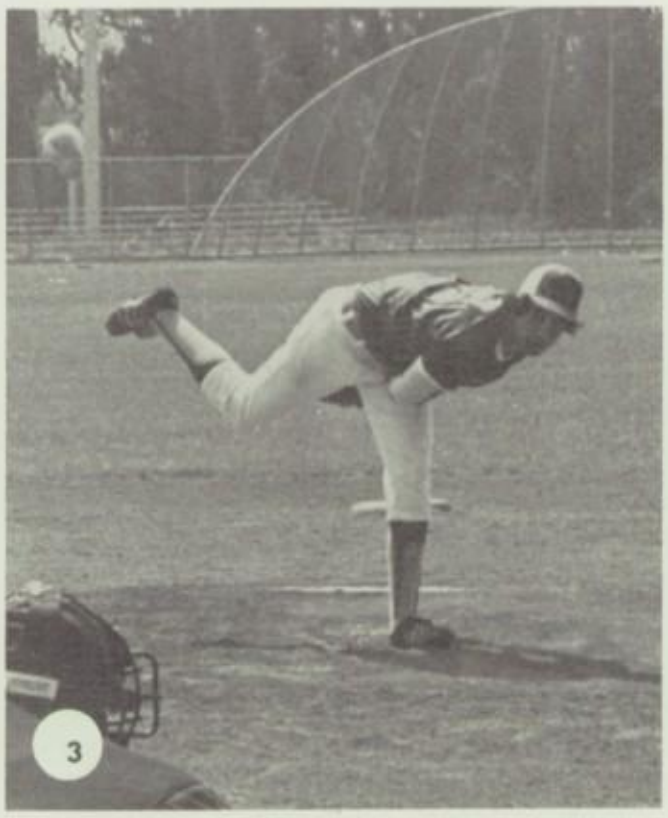

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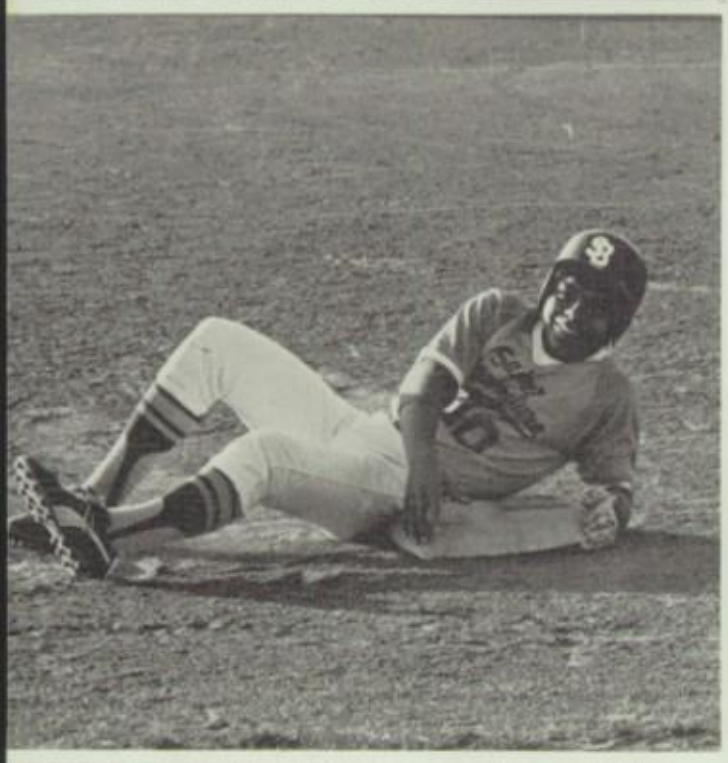

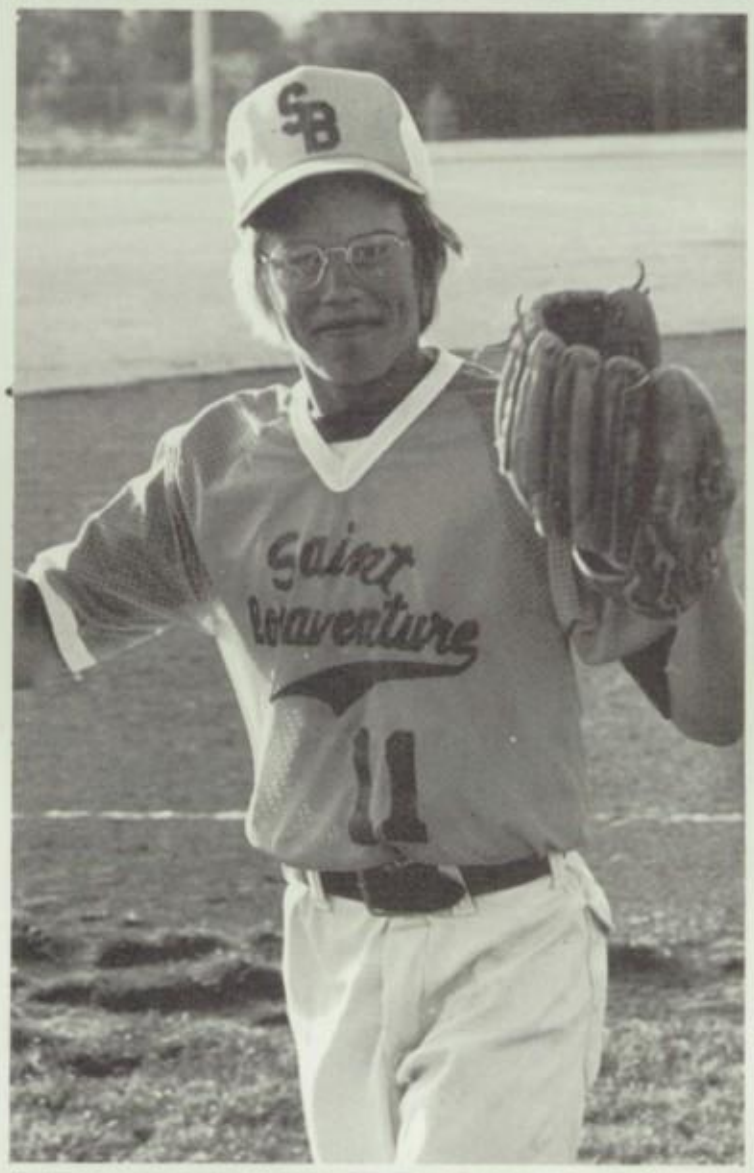
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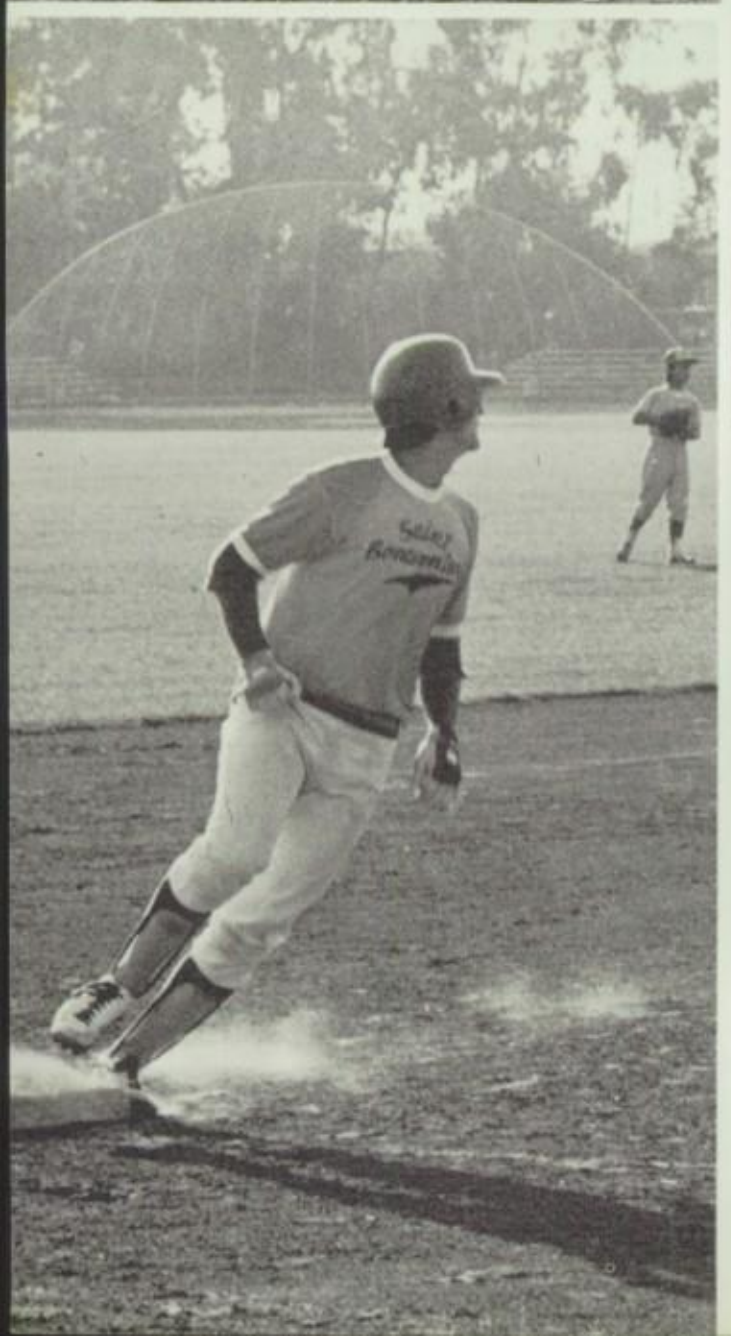
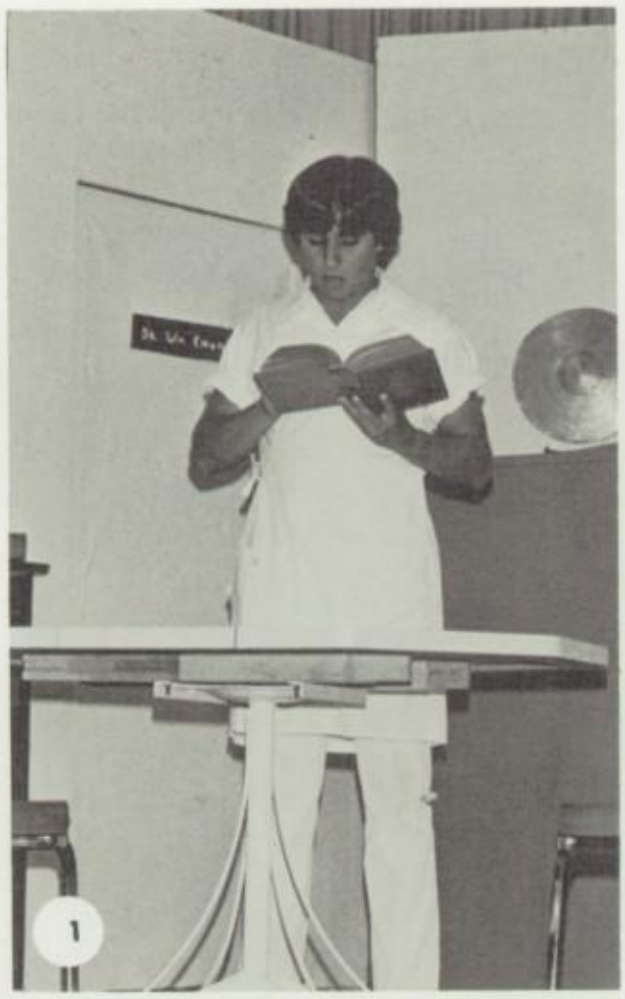


The Seraph J.V. Baseball Team set the Tri-Valley League on **FIRE** this year with a 12-0 record. It was the bottom of the 7th in a game with Bishop. The Seraphs were behind by 5 runs, with 2 outs; yet they came back with six runs to win the game. And there was the last game with Fillmore, 12-0. Credit goes to pitchers, Dave Serfozo and Marty Adams, and to a team which just couldn't be stopped.

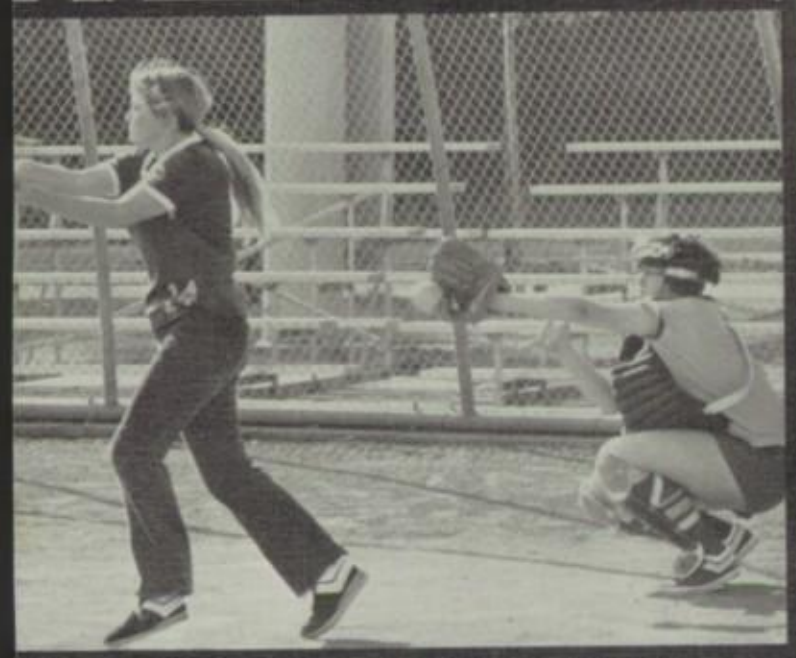
J.V. BASEBALL TEAM: Back row, (left to right): Mr. Giberti, coach, R. Giberti, M. Castro, D. Serfozo, M. Knox, B. Smith, R. Sloniker, M. Marietta, Mr. Coburn, coach. Front row: M. Colitti, G. Frank, T. Carranco, B. Melhorn, F. Perkins, R. Lopez, J. Montiel, M. Lancett.

1. Richard Sloniker tags his opponent out at home. 2. Greg Frank and Bruce Melhorn trade places. 3. Dave Serfozo plans his strategy for the next inning. 4. Tony Carranco — the J.V. player with the highest batting average.



Few plays can boast a totally dedicated cast. The cast for the St. Bonaventure spring play — **HARVEY,** had the necessary perseverance and willingness to work that could not help but create a superb production.

1. "P-O-O-K-A, Pooka, an imaginary creature in animal form." 2. ". . . I wish Dr. Sanderson had given me these." 3. "And, Doctor, . . . Sometimes I see that big white rabbit myself!" 4. Dr. Chumley and Veta try to decide if there IS a stranger in the bathtub. 5. "Hello, my name is Elwood P. Dowd, Let me give you one of my cards." 6. Mike McGahan, with much mirth, masterfully paints the set. 7. Dr. Sanderson tries to keep Elwood from leaving the sanitarium, while Nurse Kelly listens in. 8. "A rabbit has two long ears. There are two holes in this hat. Does that not suggest something?!"
9. Pete Hendrick works diligently to complete the set for "Harvey." 10. "Oh, yes, Harvey, do come in. Have a seat." 11. "Oh, yes, Aunt Ethel, Elwood sees SOMEONE!" 12. Miss Rigali receives her well-deserved directors chair.



Ask any girl on the Softball Team what kind of season she had, and she will say **"SUPER!"** The record for the season was 7-4, and the girls put up a good fight in each game. There were some disappointing times when games were lost by only a few points, but overall the season turned out well. The team garnered itself 2nd place in the Tri-Valley League and a CIF playoff berth, but was eliminated in the first round after a close game with Channel Islands. Thus ended the '75-'76 year for girls' sports, in which every team made it to CIF.

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1. Annette gives it all she's got. 2. Dana gets ready to steal third. 3. Cheryal goes for another hit. 4. Kim congratulates "Boom Boom" as she gets another home run.

SOFTBALL TEAM: Back row, (left to right): Jim Romo, T. Pierce, L. Colitti, D. Uram, M. Sliger, M. Reardon, C. Tingstrom, T. Woodyard, M. Franchi, S. Martinez, Mrs. Navarro, coach. Second row: A. Pozos, G. Van Gundy, T. Flores, M. Traverse, K. Strickley. Front row: D. Henderson, M. Mendoza, C. Bailey.

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Wednesday, May 26, 1976,

THE END. The end of four years of demerits and detention, saddle shoes and uniforms, sneaking out at lunchtime and Class Masses. The end of Br. Hilarion's Religion Class, Mrs. Ennyson's English Class, some close friendships, Senior Court, and a class unified. For the graduating seniors the commencement exercises are more than a ritual — they mark a turning point in their lives, the end of one road and the beginning of another. For some this new road will mean higher education, for others hard work at a job, and for still others marriage and children. The one thing seniors will take with them are the memories — some happy, some sad — but all worth remembering.

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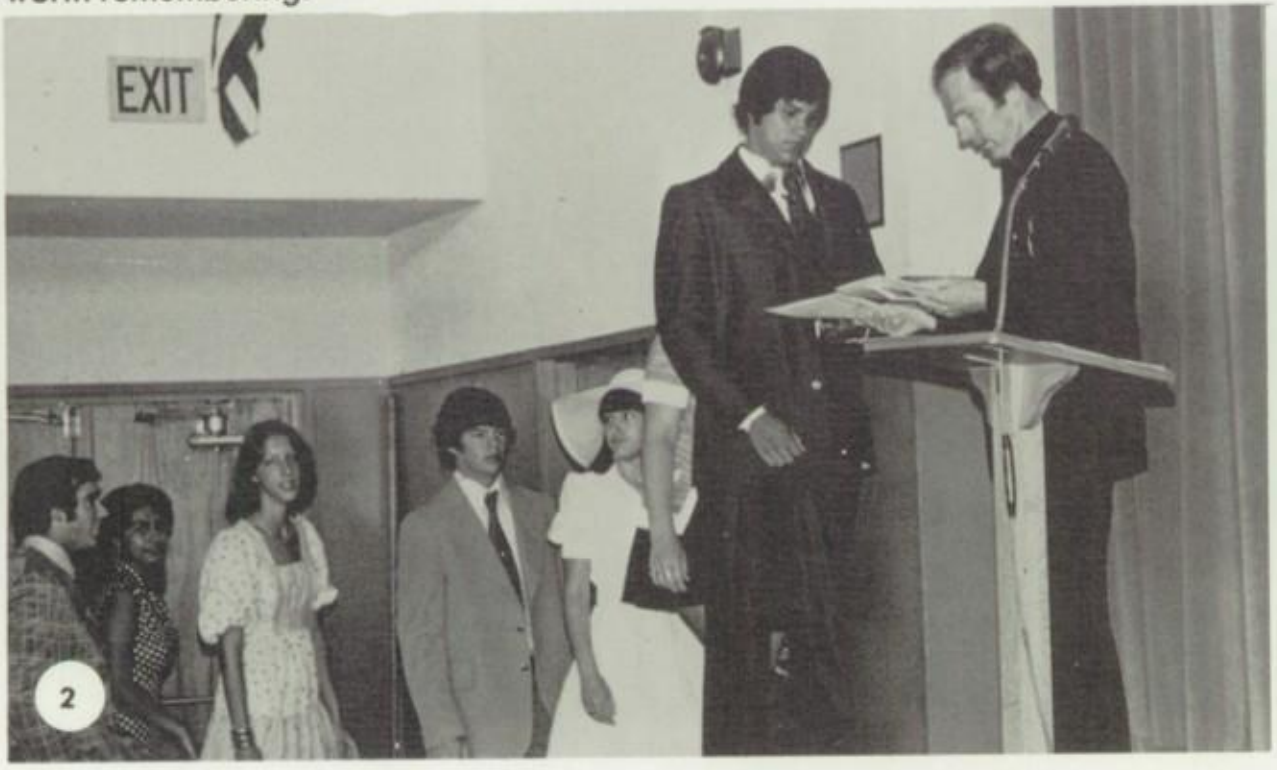

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1. Jeanine happily accepts flowers and a plaque for her school service as ASB President. 2. Many seniors received awards for their outstanding achievement over the past four years. 3. Paula Barrett proudly accepts her award for perfect attendance. 4. Paula Cummings receives her award for school service. 5. Susan and Mark — Bank of America Award winners for Liberal Arts and Science. 6. Brien and Irma march out of the Church for the last time. 7. Seniors adjust to the unfamiliar feel of caps and gowns. 8. Isn't it TOM who's usually clowning around? 9. Denise and Karen proudly present the '76 ARCHES at the Offertory. 10. Danny brings up the chalice.

1. Graduation is a time of tears and smiles. 2. Honors students, Craig Pauley and Susan Hoffman, have a friendly chat. 3. Fr. George gives Germaine some consoling words. 4. The senior boys spend their last time together in a traditional manner — messing around. 5. Irma and Paul slowly make their way up the aisle. 6. Jeanine Faria emphasizes the true value of friendship in her welcome address. 7. Cindy Cash accepts her long-awaited diploma. 8. Al Albinger reminds the seniors of their duties as American citizens. 9. Paul Case accepts his diploma from Msgr. Francis Weber. 10. Roger and Bob congratuate each other upon receiving their diplomas. 11. Br. Hilarion: "I present the Graduates of 1976." 12. Seniors sing the Alma Mater for the last time. 13. Br. Hilarion commends the seniors for their fine achievements as a class.

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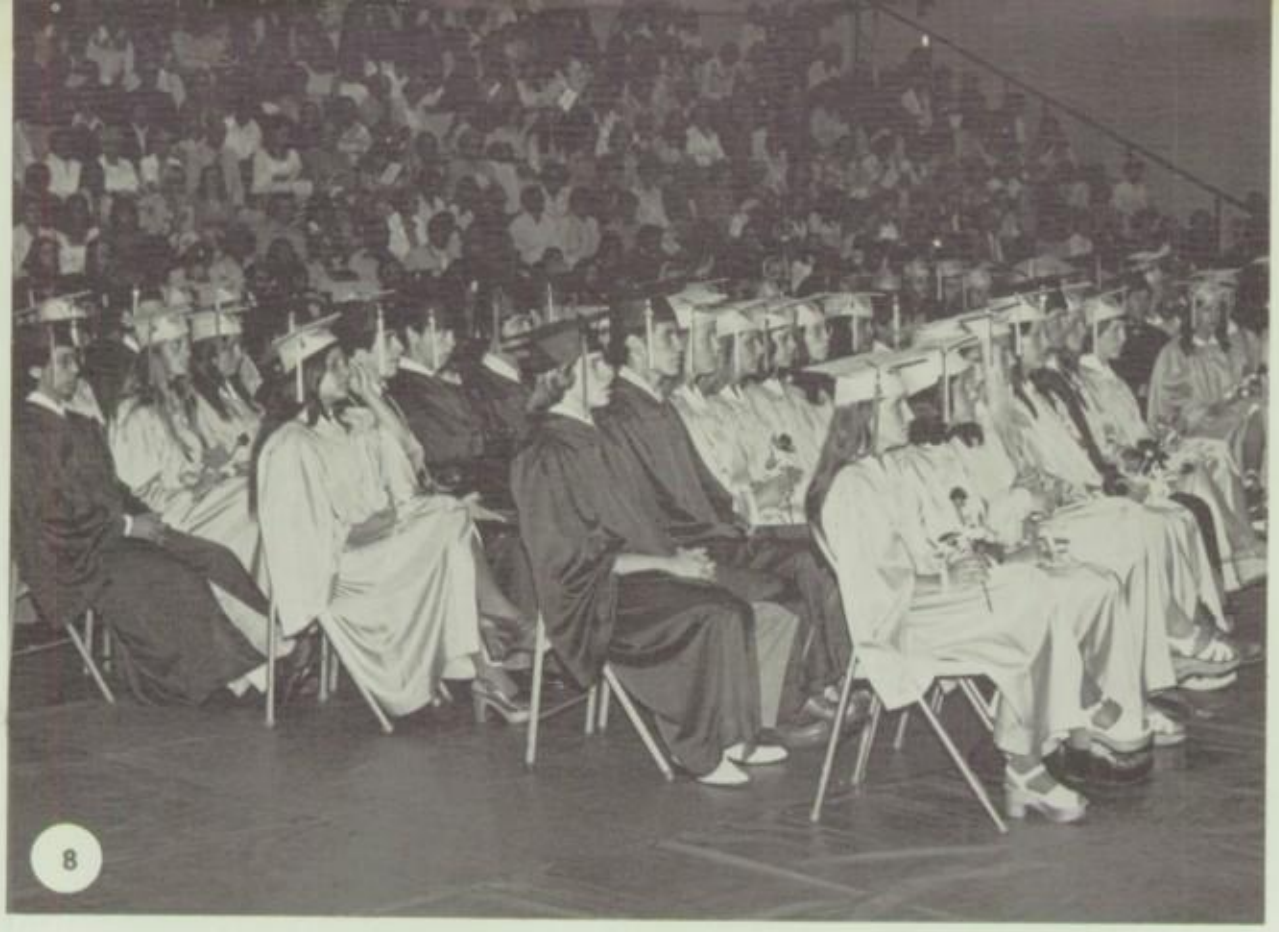
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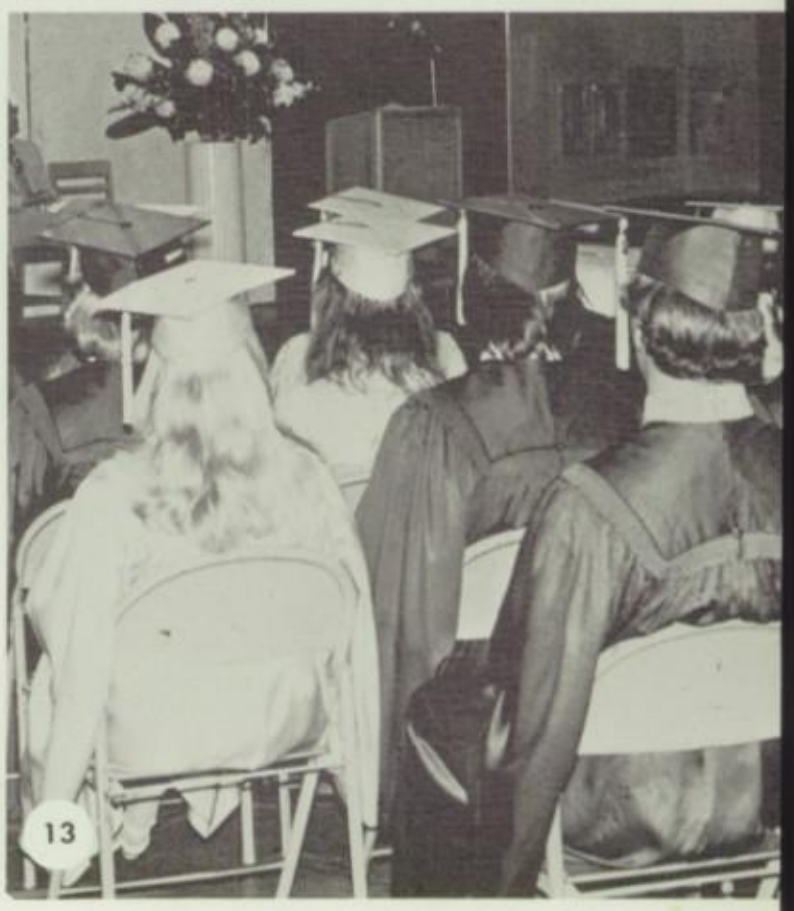
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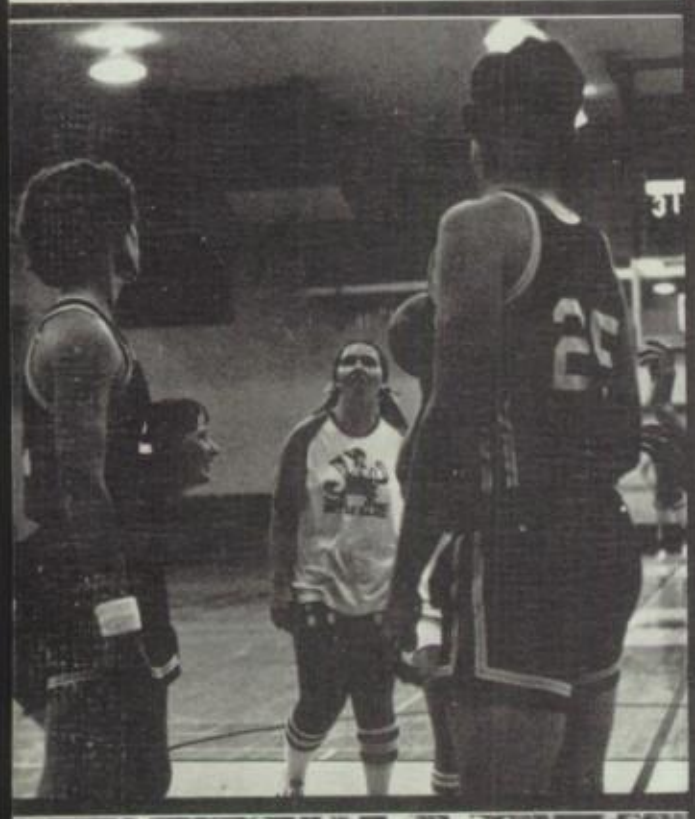
It was **COMEDY** at its best when the faculty challenged the students to a basketball game. In an attempt to show the students who's-running-what, a teacher deftly made two points — in the wrong basket. The boys' varsity and the men teachers were a good match for each other; likewise were the cheerleaders and the women teachers. The game started out with much laughter and a bit of foul play, and so it ended, after a tense final two minutes in which the students proved who runs the school.



Dear Michelle
Its been a real neat year, with you, & we had so much fun with you, Michelle I feel you're a good friend, And I'll always remember you, I'm sorry for that little mis understanding last week in the past and forget the past and Remember the future, Lets be friends no matter what happens stay
Sincerely
Jeanne Madglen

M: Michelle
youare a
nice person
and I can't
wait till see
you as a
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be see you
Christina Martinez

Michelle - It's Been Fun
Knowing you in The youth
group and in Religion. I have
a good summer, And I' hope
To see you next year.
Pat Burke

Michelle,
It's been a really good year knowing you. I probably wouldn't have met you if it wasn't for our youth fellowship and I'm glad we met because you're a nice person. Good luck next year & I'll be seeing you around.
Love Bill Fallon

Dear Michelle
This certainly has
been a year to remem-
ber, hasn't it? What
with the retreats choir
youth group, everything
else... I hope to see you
next year on my weekends
home. Be good & Get Best
Love
Glenda Williams

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